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## NIGHT FIRE SWEEPS HURON ST. BUILDING

### That's \$25. An Hour Protests Councillor

Mayor and Council Frown  
On Building Exemption  
Plan

On motion of Councillors F. H. Robinson and George E. Williams, the Newmarket fire brigade was voted its annual grant of \$600, to be paid by Dec. 16, at a meeting of the town council on Monday evening.

Joseph Brammar, fire inspector, was praised for efficient work during the past year by members of the council. Mr. Brammar reported that premises were being kept in safer condition.

Proctor Redfern and Co. charged \$150 for the report on water sources outside the town, according to a letter from the town engineers, in explanation of an account of \$340 before the council at its previous meeting.

"Why that's \$25 an hour," said Councillor George Williams. "If you want services of this kind you have to pay for them," said Dr. Boyd.

"It's economically unsound," declared Mayor Dr. S. J. Boyd when Councillor George Williams moved that "a bylaw be introduced to provide for total exemption from assessment of all new dwelling-houses during the year in which same are erected."

"You are bonusing the building of new houses while existing houses cannot be sold for their replacement cost," said the mayor.

"How would you like it, if you had a house to sell, to see someone else put up a tax-free house next door?" asked the mayor. "You would encourage building at the expense of the taxpayers," said Mr. Williams.

The resolution was defeated. Immediate replacement of

### HURON ST. WIG-WAG IS IN OPERATION

The new wig-wag, recently installed at the crossing on Huron St. near the Davis Leather Co., has been in operation for the past week.

street lights on College St. was moved by Reeve Dr. L. W. Dales. "They were out a month ago," said Dr. Dales.

"The youngsters put the lights out as fast as we can put them in," said Councillor W. W. Osborne.

"Well, then there should be penalties," said Dr. Dales. "They are pretty hard to get," said Mr. Osborne. "You would have to be running around all the time to keep the lights all in."

"Well, you look after it," said Dr. Dales, withdrawing his motion.

A motion by Dr. Dales forbidding children to skate on the street until the ice is safe, was passed by the council.

Signs will be erected and the constables will be instructed to enforce this ruling.

"I often think it would be a good idea to give a lot, and then we would have the taxes," said the mayor, Dr. S. J. Boyd, commenting on a recommendation of the public works committee that a minimum price of \$80 be set on town lots.

A letter from the Theatre Holding Corporation said that the company had decided against having the light pole moved now in front of its premises, the Palace theatre.

Councillor W. W. Osborne advised the clerk to bill the company to be erected. The council advised the clerk to bill the company for this work.

### Whitchurch Calf Has Two Buffalo Heads, Stillborn

Cow Brought Here From  
North Bears Siamese  
Calf Dead

A two-headed calf was born dead at the farm of Edgar Rose, fourth concession, Whitchurch, last Wednesday. The calf was a month premature.

The calf had two heads on a single neck and body. The heads resembled strongly buffalo heads. The back was humped like a buffalo's and the hind quarters were comparatively light.

J. R. Lockhart, Newmarket veterinarian, expressed the opinion that the calf had been sired by a buffalo. The cow was brought here from northern Ontario and was in calf at the time.

wished we could rebate the amount later," said Councillor Wm. Dixon.

"Is there a by-law?" asked Mr. Bowser.

"No," said N. L. Mathews, K.C. "The regulation is that town organizations shall pay \$15 a night and out-of-town organizations \$20 a night."

Mr. Bowser was given to understand that the council would make a grant of the amount of the rent.

Later, on motion of Councillor W. W. Osborne, the club was voted \$15.

W. C. T. U. WILL NOT MEET

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will not meet until January.

LOCAL BOY WILL  
SPEAK ON RADIO

Harry Rumble, young farmer from near King, will speak on Rex Frost's broadcast over CFRB at 12.55 p.m. Friday, Dec. 10. His address will be a summary of one he gave in the public speaking contest of the United Farm Young People of Ontario in Toronto two weeks ago.

While two of the three judges chose another speaker in preference to the York entry, Harry's address received much praise. For some time he has been actively associated with the study groups sponsored by Pickering College and in this way has developed the vision which he will present in a word picture of King as a co-operative community fifteen years hence.

Conacher Comes  
On Amateur Nite

Arrangements for the big amateur show on Friday, held by the Newmarket hockey club were completed this week with the signing up of Charlie Conacher for the job of master of ceremonies.

In addition to a long list of talented amateurs, the club has obtained the services of Jackie McCrae, Toronto, wonder boy xylophonist, late of Billie Nelson's orchestra. Entrants include singers, instrumentalists, dancers, and acrobats, so that those attending are assured of a wide variety of entertainment.

Reserved seats may be obtained at Broughton's drug store.

CAN'T GIVE HALL FREE  
BUT WILL PAY RENT

On behalf of the Newmarket hockey club, Frank Bowser asked for free use of the town hall on Friday Dec. 10, at a council meeting on Monday evening.

"That would be contrary to the ruling that everyone must pay for the hall, but if the council

### BOYS HONORED WITH SUPPER

Certificates Presented To  
Members Of R. S. A.  
Band

Certificates indicating present or past membership in the R.S.A. Bugle Band were presented to over 60 young men at the band's annual supper in the band hall last Thursday evening.

The certificates bore a record of the many achievements of the band in its first five years, 1932 to 1937.

"The town is proud of you," Dr. C. E. Vandervoort, the chairman, told the band boys.

Wm. E. Andrews led and Wm. White accompanied on the piano group singing.

"I wish to congratulate you on your conduct at home and away from home," said Mayor Dr. S. J. Boyd. "The town is proud of you for your conduct and also for your musical ability. Great credit is due the organizers, Mr. J. O. Little and Dr. Boyd."

Jack Arlitt gave two beautiful cornet solos.

J. O. Little and Dr. Boyd presented the certificates. Mr. Little telling the boys: "No matter how proficient you get there is always room at the top. We had an example of that tonight in our cornet soloist. It has taken him many years and years and hours and hours of hard work, and we are proud of him."

James Bradford, Jr., Toronto, solo. Young Bradford gave a drum solo. The best qualified drummer of his age in Canada.

"We look to the mayor to present to the council their responsibility to this and other similar organizations," said Mr. Little. "We in Newmarket are not so much concerned with the tax rate. At the nomination meeting I suggested an extra mill. I had in mind an extra grant to the Bugle Band, to the Citizens' Band and extra money on the sidewalks."

"This is the annual gathering of the most enterprising organization in Newmarket," said H. M. Gladman in a short address. "You have only to look at this building and think what it was to realize that. This band started only five years ago, with borrowed equipment. Now they have 50 active members and have a horde clamoring to get in. Their instruments are second to none in the province."

"The town wouldn't be quite the same without the R.S.A. Bugle Band on the streets," said Reeve Dr. L. W. Dales.

Following the presentation of certificates, Albert Lindenbaum, Ralph Adams and Alfred Harden spoke on behalf of the band.

Roy Rhinehart, Frank Smith and Wm. E. Andrews each spoke briefly.

E. J. Davis, Aubrey Davis, J. O. Little, E. H. Adams, Edgar Bogart and John Hallam were made honorary members of the band.

"Edgar Bogart is one of the outstanding citizens of this town," said Mr. Rhinehart. "We have never done anything without his help."

The boys presented with certificates were: Ralph Adams, Bruce Andrews, Donald Blair, Elmer Blair, Gerald Blight, Bruce Bowdoin, Elmer Brown, Howard Brown, Howard Eakins, Herbert Foster, Ernest Fairry, Walter Groves.

Clifford Gunn, William Hadfield, Alfred Harden, Jack Harman, Melbourne Haines, Lyman Hencock, Frederick Lusted, Morley Gilkes, Albert Lindenbaum, Howard McClymont, Percy Myers, George Myers, Bruce Mortimer.

Hugh Mair, Alan McDonald, Harvey McGhee, James O'Brien, Edgie O'Brien, Carl Preston, Bruce Prost, Jack Parker, Melvin Ruddock, Roy Stickwood, Morley Lepard, Ivan Ruddock, Raymond Stickland, Frank Smart, Ernest Travis, Jack Wright, Leonard Coupland.

Donald Gilkes, William Wilson, Leonard Burling, Donald Edwards, William Everest, Earl Thompson, William Andrews, Jr., William Hamilton, Patrick Forhan, Jack Swindells, Alex. Mathewson, Roy Greenwood, Jack Arlitt, William Johnston, Albert Watts, Donald Clarkson.

Coming Events

Thursday, Dec. 16—Newmarket Citizens' Band, songs, carols, etc. in St. Paul's memorial hall at 8 p.m. Admission 25 cents.

A paid-in-advance subscription list means a better local newspaper.

### Christmas Market Planned Agree To Ignore By-Law

Council Votes \$25 For  
Prizes For Market On  
Dec. 22

"For the good of the market I'd like to see the by-law rescinded," said T. F. Doyle, general merchant, before the town council Monday evening, referring to the by-law which prevents the "buyers" from buying before 9 a.m.

"The buyers went so far as to say that they wouldn't come to the market if the by-law were enforced," said Mr. Doyle. "Without the buyers there would be no market. The town people couldn't buy all the produce."

"I know it would be better for us merchants if these things were sold through the stores, but that can't be helped."

"The buyers aren't going to take the culls after the town people have taken the best produce. Anyone who wants to get a chicken can arrange a week ahead with someone to bring one in. I can give names of farmers who will bring in produce."

W. C. Lundy, dry goods merchant, expressed agreement with Mr. Doyle.

The council recently gave instructions that the by-law should be enforced. As the result of objections on the part of Main St. business men, Reeve Dr. L. W. Dales said that he had taken it on himself to cancel these instructions.

The council agreed not to enforce the by-law.

The council voted \$25 for prizes for a special Christmas market on Wednesday, Dec. 22, on the request of Mr. Doyle.

WILL MEET FRIDAY

The meeting of the Cherokee club will be held at the home of Mrs. Bert Budd, Prospect Ave., on Friday evening, Dec. 10, at 8 o'clock. There will be a shower of canned goods for the Christmas baskets.

and also cover the wings.

The program will get under way at 8.30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

### MRS. M. WALLACE SPEAKS ON PALESTINE

At the Friends Church on Monday evening, Mrs. Malcolm Wallace of Toronto entertained her audience with a lecture and slides on Palestine. Mrs. Wallace was a recent visitor to that country. There was a large attendance and most of the young people's societies in town were represented. Mrs. Sharran, contralto, rendered several selections and Mrs. Rumble accompanied her. Gerald Rutledge played a piano solo in his usual charming manner. The evening's entertainment was under the auspices of the Christian Endeavour.

### DR. BOULDING SINGS SUNDAY

Dr. C. R. Boulding, Aurora's popular mayor, has kindly accepted an invitation to sing a group of tenor solos at Sunday evening's band concert in the town hall. The versatile doctor, whose fine tenor voice won him major awards at York county's last musical festival, is also a keen booster of the band movement.

The program by the band will be one of the most pleasing ever presented by this organization and includes Light Cavalry Overture, a very tuneful section from Balfe's Bohemian Girl, also Fiesta Overture, which was the test piece used at the C.N.E.

A fund has been opened by the band to decorate the stage of the town hall. Collection plates will be placed at the exits to give all an opportunity who feel they can contribute to this worthy enterprise. It is hoped that through this medium enough will be raised at the winter concerts to buy a new back-drop curtain

### WHAT'S SANTA BRINGING YOU

Lots Of Joy Will Be Lot  
Of Those Who Help  
Old Fellow Out

"What is Santa Claus going to bring you?"

This question may be heard wherever children are found. Parents who are in a position to know that the result of the annual visit from Santa will be satisfactory put this question to their children banteringly. Children who gain confident knowledge in this way that Santa is going to remember them put the same question to other children who are perhaps less fortunate than themselves.

Then home they go, these other children, and say: "Mother, Daddy, what do you think Santa Claus will bring me?" Too often the answer is: "I don't know if Santa Claus will come this year. I hear that the roads are bad in Reindeerland."

This can be a cruel question, a cruel question to parents who cannot answer it confidently, a cruel question to children who already have an inkling from their parents that Santa Claus will not be coming.

But your answer is that he will be coming, coming to every home in Newmarket, though his parcels be ever so small. Your answer is that Santa Claus is going to take armloads of joy into every Newmarket home where children play. Through the Lions Christmas Stocking Fund you can help Santa Claus.

Helping Santa Claus help the youngsters will bring you joy. That is the answer to the question: "What is Santa Claus going to bring you?"

CHRISTMAS STOCKING FUND  
Acknowledged to date ..... \$7

and also cover the wings.

The program will get under way at 8.30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

### Huron St. Structure Almost Demolished

Fire of Unknown Origin  
Guts Garage And  
Apartments

The worst fire since the nearby flour mill blaze last summer, the building occupied by Danforth Auto Wreckers on Huron St. was gutted by fire last Thursday evening.

Damage amounted to a considerable figure. Anthony Phillips, proprietor of Danforth Wreckers, put his loss at \$5,000, against which there was \$2,000 insurance. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Turan, living in the front upstairs apartment, lost all their household effects, including a chesterfield suite and a radio. Damage to the building, owned by Stanley Jones, was estimated at \$2,500, fully covered.

Mr. Phillips was sitting in his office at 9.15 p.m. Thursday, he stated, when he noticed a puff of smoke come out of the floor five or six feet from him. He ran outside and met Mr. Turan, who had seen smoke coming up behind the chesterfield in his apartment at about the same time.

Mr. and Mrs. Turan and their children got out of the building at once but lost practically everything. Mrs. Turan passed the alarm to Mrs. Douglas May, who, with her young child was in the back apartment. Mrs. May lost most of her clothes but neighbors were able to get most of her belongings out on to a shed roof and thence to safety.

The fire brigade answered a call put in from Main and Huron Sts. The building was in flames when the truck arrived a few minutes after the fire was discovered. Fire Chief W. W. Os-

### ATTEND BANQUET

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilmot of Sharon travelled to Woodstock to attend a banquet on Friday evening in honor of P. M. Dewan, new Ontario minister of agriculture.

borne arrived with the truck, driven by Cyrus Curtis. Witnesses remarked on the smooth and speedy way in which the hose was coupled up and turned on the blaze.

The fire blew out or cracked the large shop windows at the front. The gasoline tanks had been empty for six weeks previous.

Two streams of water, with Joseph Brammar in charge of one company and James Thompson in charge of the other, were used at first. Several times it seemed as though the fire was under control, but each time it broke out again. Double air spaces in the outside walls carried persistently the fire to new points.

At midnight a third stream of water was put on the fire and it was not until after 2 a.m. that the blaze was under control.

The fire broke out again in the roof on Friday night. Although no alarm was rung in, a couple of the firemen took the truck down and extinguished the blaze.

A representative of the provincial fire marshal was here and made a thorough investigation of the fire. Mr. Phillips said that he had been burning wood until a couple of days before the fire and that he had then started using coal. He thought that the fire had started from the combustion of gases from the coal in the furnace, he said.

### Little Girl Is Seriously Bitten By Big Police Dog

Five-Year-Old, Barbara Gilroy, Badly Bitten By  
Huge Dog

Barbara Gilroy, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gilroy, was bitten by a large police dog owned by Charles Bovair, on Monday morning.

Five stitches were required in Barbara's cheek and a piece was taken out of her lip.

She was taken to York County hospital where she was treated by Drs. J. C. R. Edwards and J. G. Cook.

Barbara, with two other companions had been drawn by the dog for a sleigh ride. Afterwards Barbara started to pat the dog and he turned on her.

GETS ALONG WELL

Gordon Cockburn, little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cockburn, underwent a successful appendix operation on Tuesday morning.

W.A. MAKE PRESENTATION  
TO MRS. WELLS, MRS. CANE

On Dec. 2, the W.A. of Trinity United church held their regular meeting with the president, Mrs. George Russell, in the chair. Mrs. B. Hewitt took charge of the devotional exercises, the topic being, Mary, the mother of Jesus. Mrs. Hewitt said that Mary was one of the strongest characters in history. Mary was fortified by the angels' announcement and she had peace and resourcefulness. Prayer was offered by Mrs. J. H. Wells.

Mrs. Leonard Little accompanied by Mrs. Bailey sang a lovely solo, "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer."

The secretaries of the different committees gave reports of the year, showing very encouraging progress. The question of a brass tablet to preserve the names of those who served in the Great War came up for discussion but was held over for further consideration. Mrs. W. J. Thompson, convener of the nominating committee gave her report, giving the list of officers for the year 1938. Installation will take place in January, when a complete report will be given.

The president read an address and a presentation was made by the secretary to two departing members, Mrs. J. H. Wells and Mrs. Howard Cane. The Women's Association regret the removal of these active workers from the society. Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Cane expressed their thanks in their usual charming manner, after which a social time was spent and a cup of tea served.

### CHRISTMAS CONCERT IS TO BE NEXT FRIDAY

The regular meeting of Trinity Y.P.U. will be held on Monday, at 8 o'clock. The program will be in charge of Mrs. J. Rutledge.

On Friday, Dec. 17, at 8 o'clock the Christmas concert will be held in the Sunday-school room and all are cordially invited to attend.

The departments of the Sunday-school and the various organizations in the church are taking part in the program and can assure those attending a very pleasant evening's entertainment. Everyone is welcome and is urged to come and bring friends.

ARCHBISHOP OWEN WILL  
CONDUCT CONFIRMATION

Next Sunday evening at St. Paul's Church, the rite of baptism will be administered to those who have not already been christened, in preparation for confirmation, to be held Monday evening, Dec. 13, in the church, at 8 o'clock, instead of Tuesday, as was at first announced. Archbishop Owen will come on Monday instead of Tuesday. Everybody is welcome.

### CHANGE RESIDENCES

Charles Evans, Jr., 15 Millard Ave., moved on Monday to 84 Prospect Ave., to the house vacated by W. Hopkinson, who has moved to 100 Prospect Ave.

### GIVES CONCERT

Alice Strong Rourke, soprano soloist, was one of the artists at a concert yesterday evening at Simcoe, Ont. This morning she gave a concert for the students of the high school.

### Hockey Players Meet Tonight

Those seeking positions on Newmarket's intermediate hockey squad are asked to be present at the high school gym for a workout tonight at 7 p.m. The club are anxious that everyone seeking a berth on this year's team will be present to enable the coach to line-up the material on hand.

Both Sutton and Newmarket clubs have been considering a move from the intermediate "B" group to "A" classification. Executives have since decided, however, to retain their grouping, which is made up of Newmarket, Port Perry, Sutton, Bobcaygeon and Cannington.



**SANTA CLAUS  
PARADE  
SATURDAY,  
DEC. 18th**

**Come and Bring  
the Children**

**TOWN HALL - Prize Market  
Market Bldg. - Gen. Market**

**FARMERS' XMAS MARKET  
AT  
NEWMARKET  
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22nd**

THE TOWN COUNCIL AND MERCHANTS OF NEWMARKET ARE CO-OPERATING ON  
THE ABOVE DATE IN THE INTERESTS OF PRODUCERS AND CONSUMERS

PRIZE LIST			
Class	Best	1st	2nd
1-Dressed Turkey Gobbler	.....	\$2.00	\$1.50
2-Dressed Turkey Hen	.....	\$2.00	\$1.50
3-Dressed Pair Geese	.....	\$3.00	\$1.50
4-Dressed Pair Ducks	.....	\$1.50	\$1.25
5-Dressed Pair Cockerels	.....	\$1.50	\$1.25
6-Collection of Six Chickens	.....	\$1.50	\$1.25
7-Dozen Hens' Eggs, White	.....	.75	.50
8-Dozen Hens' Eggs, Brown	.....	.75	.50
9-5 lbs. Dairy Butter Prints	.....	.75	.50
10-6 Qt. Basket Snow Apples	.....	.50	.35
11-6 Qt. Basket Spy Apples	.....	.50	.35
12-6 Qt. Basket, any other kind	.....	.50	.35
13-6 Qt. Basket Carrots	.....	.50	.35
14-Bushel Basket Parsnips	.....	.75	.50
15-Bushel Basket Potatoes	.....	.75	.50
16-Bushel Basket Beets	.....	.75	.50

**SPECIAL PRIZE**

No. 17-To Exhibitor coming longest  
distance. Cash Prize .... \$2.00

**NO ENTRY FEE**

Free Table Space open to bona-fide  
Farmer or Gardener.

One Entry to each Family in each  
class.

Exhibits must be in place by 9 o'clock.

All Poultry for competition must be  
hatched and raised in 1937.

**MAKE YOUR ENTRIES WITH SECRETARY, OFFICE IN TOWN HALL, OVER MARKET  
BUILDING.**



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### CHRISTMAS GIVING

This cold weather should stimulate giving to the Lions Christmas Stocking Fund. It is difficult for us to realize how great the need is of many people right within our town. We can believe that there is hardship and privation in a nearby city, but we find it hard to realize that some of our fellow townsmen are hard up against it and many of them with too much pride to broadcast their needs. There are people actually hiding the sufferings of themselves and their children. They need medical and dental care they can't afford; they need more variety of food for health; they need more milk than they can purchase, even if they are receiving full relief allowance; they need better clothing, both to keep them warm and to maintain their self-respect. In short, they need your help. You cannot do a great deal for them through the good offices of Santa Claus, because Santa Claus has so many people in this town to look after, and what you give him will be spread out among all the most needy children, but you cannot afford to overlook this opportunity to do a little, in an acceptable way, for less fortunate friends, neighbors and fellow townsmen. And we hope that your interest, engendered through Christmas giving, may lead you to contribute in some way during the approaching year to the solution of the economic and social problems which leave people, through no fault of their own, dependent on the generosity of others.

### A NEWSPAPER ELECTION

In the city the newspapers have been holding another election. The Star nominated Mr. Robbins for mayor and the Telegram and the Globe and Mail nominated Mr. Day. Mr. Day won the day. The three newspapers agreed on the board of control. Nevertheless, Tim Buck, Communist, missed election by only a slender margin.

### STICKING TO IT

Mr. Hepburn was quite right in declining Mr. Macaulay's offer to serve on a non-partisan committee to study the question of retaining government house. There was no chance of Mr. Macaulay agreeing with the government in its determination to dispense with Chorley Park as a residence for the lieutenant-governor, and it would have been a poor way for Mr. Hepburn to retire from the position he has taken. As he said, to do away with government house was a pre-election promise, and it was up to him to carry it out. Of course, if he thought himself to have been mistaken, it would be up to him to admit it and change his mind, but to let a committee change his mind for him would be merely to damage further whatever confidence the public has in election promises. Mr. Macaulay asked the premier if he had changed his mind about a promise not to enter into any contract with Beauchamp, but Mr. Hepburn had no answer. As far as Chorley Park is concerned, our guess is that the public will be pretty well satisfied with the

new arrangement. Those of our readers who are accustomed to being entertained at government house will find that the lieutenant-governor has very nice quarters at Queen's Park. Mr. Hepburn said that Chorley Park had cost the public \$123,500 a year.

### DOMINION-PROVINCIAL RELATIONS

Premier Bracken of Manitoba told the dominion-provincial relations commission last week that there must be a choice among cutting the interest rate on Manitoba bonds, suspending payment entirely or a reallocation of revenues and responsibilities of the dominion and provincial governments. Unlike some provincial premiers, Mr. Bracken would like to see the legislative field of the dominion government increased at the expense of the provincial governments. We think progress lies in that direction but it is a mighty broad-minded provincial government that sees it as Mr. Bracken does.

### THE BIG APPLE

In case you didn't know it, that was a demonstration of the new dance, "The Big Apple," that you saw, or would have seen if you had been there, at the high school alumni dance last Friday evening. The theme of the dance is said to be the imitation of a negro woman pushing a wheelbarrow. It comes to us from the Harlem jungle, and may be said to be more interesting than the fox-trot, but lacking the grace of the old square dances. We wouldn't want to explain this dance to you, but we gathered on Friday evening that it was very comprehensive. In fact, we were told that it included "the Susie Q" and most everything else. It's what they're doing at the university when they are not at a football game or maybe a lecture. If you don't do the Big Apple you might as well go home to your mother. You're out of things. There are times when the dancer and his partner solo down the dance floor, sometimes travelling side by side, sometimes one ten feet ahead of the other, amusing himself or herself with a shimmying sort of clog-dance. It is quite interesting to watch. We fancy it would be difficult to learn. At other times the dancers do a little bit of the old-time dances, shouting jungle calls instead of politely bowing to each other. Big as the Big Apple may be, we fancy it will have been consumed and forgotten before long. It will not affect the popularity of the classic square dances, but let us hope that it may serve to restore them, by emphasizing the shortcomings of our modern dances, to their old-time place on the dance program.

Part of the "Big Apple" is called "truckin'." We Canadians weren't going to have any "truck or trade with the Yankees" and now we accept this new dance from Harlem.

The beauty of winter has come to us again. Would we really, if we had the chance, choose to live in Florida or California, all the year round? Except for slippery highways and sidewalks, and icy windshields, winter is stimulating, invigorating, and lots of fun for the younger folks. Newmarket and district was beautiful under its cloak of new-fallen snow on Sunday evening.

### SOMETHING FAMILIAR HERE

It is said that in Russia a general election is taking place, with only one candidate to vote for in most constituencies. There is a similar lack of choice in most Canadian electoral divisions. You can vote Liberal or you can vote Conservative but you get practically the same thing whichever way you vote. In Canada, however, there is this advantage that you don't have to vote either way. It seems that in Russia your failure to vote and give approval to the government is noted to your disfavor.



### When Winter Comes To Town

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"I'm very well pleased with my winter home this year," Mr. Pecker, the Downy Woodpecker, told his friend, Chubby Nut-hatch. "It was perhaps a little more work drilling it out than usual, but I think it was worth it. It seems a lot of work making a home for the winter only, and just for myself at that, but of course Mrs. Pecker always insists on a new home for our nest in the spring."

"Did Mrs. Pecker drill a hole for herself for the winter, too?" asked Chubby.

"Oh no," was the reply. "The lady Woodpeckers never do that—they just winter in the abandoned holes of the male Woodpeckers. But, as I was saying—you should see my cosy little home. It's in a nice substantial limb and, of course, the entrance is on the under side and so it's practically impossible for wind and snow and sleet to reach me, when I'm in there."

"I hope Mrs. Pecker has as snug a place," said the Nut-hatch. "Oh, I don't worry about her," said Pecker. "She can look after herself all right. Of course I'm with her quite a bit, because the gang of us hang around so much together, but I don't see any place for sentimentality in the winter. She got quite a scare last week when that big dog found her stealing his dinner—ha, ha, ha."

"I heard a little more about that, which didn't reflect a great deal of credit on your chivalrous qualities," said Chubby drolly. "However, we won't go into that."

"Speaking of accidents," said Pecker, ignoring his friend's remark, "one of those pretty Red-polls was caught by a Northern Shrike yesterday afternoon. There are quite a little group of them over in the fields on the south side of Eagle St., feeding on the weeds, of course. They eat such a lot of them you know. They are feeling very badly about the loss of one of their little group. Those Shrikes are treacherous birds, aren't they?"

"They certainly are—the miserable grey butchers," agreed Chubby heartily. "Those Red-polls are such attractive birds, too, with their little crimson caps and their rosy breasts. They remind me a trifle of the Chickadees, although, of course, they are members of the sparrow family and have Sparrow characteristics, such as their short sharp bills and their streaked backs and sides."

"Of course, only the adult males have pink breasts, you know," Pecker put in.

"I quite realize that," answered Chubby. "You must think I am very ignorant if you don't give me credit for knowing that."

"Oh, I'm sure you know quite a bit," Pecker answered patronizingly. "Just as a test of your great knowledge, tell me who those birds wheeling over that snowy field over there are. They've just alighted on the ground now."

"Why, that's absurdly easy,"

before us—may it be a short and happy one."

"My sentiments exactly," said Chubby as he gulped down a generous mouthful.



Ralph Day was elected mayor of Toronto on Monday with more than a 10,000-vote margin over his opponent, W. D. Robbins, the former mayor.

A rebel demand for unconditional surrender of the Spanish government expired on Monday without any apparent change in

the civil war situation.

Mrs. M. Walker, Meaford nonagenarian, says modern maids are under-clad, and states further that the old-fashioned organ is to be preferred to the modern radio. She is old enough to know.

Mog Mason, Welsh bantam-weight boxing champion, was defeated by "Baby" Yack, Canadian bantam champ, in Toronto on Monday night.

Jap artillery was blasting the gates of the Chinese capital Nanking, on Wednesday, in an effort to make a breach through which tanks and infantry could invade the city proper.

Testimony that he worked five weeks for \$15 a week and during

that time had never been more than six hours out of his truck was given by W. L. Bentley of Toronto on Tuesday, before the Chevrier Royal Transport Commission.

Campaign statements by high Soviet sources in Moscow on Tuesday warned that it was necessary to mobilize because "war is nearer than ever."

A gambling raid on Wm. Beasley's roadhouse near Port Credit last weekend, cost the proprietor \$871 in fines and over \$1,000 in equipment.

Unheralded and silent, Col. and Mrs. Chas. A. Lindbergh were back in their native land on Monday for the first time in nearly two years.

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NEWMARKET

### 25 Years Ago

From Era file, Dec. 6, 1912

Mrs. W. H. Eves will not receive until the new year.

Mr. Harry Helmer and family visited at Queensville last Sunday.

Mrs. Beatty, of Toronto, was the guest of Mrs. C. G. Ross a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas and son, of Teston, were the guests of her brother, Mr. Wm. Keith, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Morton, of Belhaven, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Morton, Timothy St., for a few days.

Mrs. Roy Cole of Toronto, was visiting Mrs. R. P. Cole, of Newmarket, and also her mother, Mrs. H. Appleton, of Richmond Hill, remaining for the week-end.

Ex-Warden Keith, Mayor Cane, Reeve Pearson, Deputy-Reeve B. W. Hunter, Dr. J. H. Wesley and Supt. Armitage of the Industrial Home attended the Warden's banquet in Toronto on Thursday night of last week.

A leap-year dance was given in the club rooms over the Bank of Toronto by a number of young ladies, on Thursday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trivett and two sons, from Toronto, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Trivett.

The heating system is being installed in the new building of the Davis Leather Co. and a lot of new machinery has also arrived.

Fire broke out in the house on Bolton Ave., occupied by A. McNab and damage to the extent of \$1,000 was done by the flames. Fortunately everything damaged was covered by insurance.

Mayor Cane and Ex-Mayor Roadhouse represented the town council and Hon. E. J. Davis and Mr. W. A. Bruntton represented the board of trade at a conference in Ottawa on Tuesday asking the government to complete the Newmarket canal.

Lieut.-Col. Irving received his \$100 cheque last week from the government in acknowledgment of services in the Fenian Raid. The colonel is taking up residence in Aurora for the winter. He is now the senior colonel of the 13th regiment, and expects to

attend the anniversary banquet of the regiment on Wednesday evening at Hamilton.

Mr. Chas. Widdifield, son of Postmaster Widdifield, is opening a law office in Aurora.

### 50 Years Ago

From Era file, Dec. 9, 1887

Mr. W. H. Ashworth was in town on Saturday.

Mr. M. Lewis, formerly in the employ of Mr. J. R. Mader, spent Saturday in town.

Bailiff Malloy left on Friday to spend two or three weeks with his brother at Louisville, Kentucky.

Messrs. Alex. Millard and Stanley Scott drove up from the city on Friday and returned next day.

Mr. Erskine Irving has returned from Calgary, N.W.T., and was in town last Saturday. He intends to go back in the spring. Mr. Heber Brown returned from Pelee Island last Friday night and is on a two weeks visit. He has been boating on Lake Erie all summer.

At the meeting on Monday night, the town council decided to try lighting the main street with electric light for one year at a cost of \$195. This is at least \$100 more than that paid for the lights on that street under the present system.

Diphtheria of the most virulent type has been raging in the family of Andrew Brillinger, 4th concession of Whitechurch, and claimed the lives of four of his children. Two more are sick but it is hoped that they will recover. Prices at the market here were a little easier on Saturday, due to the volume of food: eggs were 20 to 21 cents per dozen; beef 4 to 6 cents per pound; chickens 25 to 30 cents per pair.

No Need to Walk  
The Hon. John Sharp Williams was on his way to a speaking engagement he had in a small town. The train was a slow one and he let the conductor know what he thought of it.

"Well, if you don't like this train," said the conductor at last, "why don't you get out and walk?"

"If I would," replied Mr. Williams, "but the committee doesn't expect me until this train gets in."

Mr. G. Easterhouse has returned home from York County hospital and is getting along as well as can be expected.

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CARRIED TOOLS,  
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The smallest police court held in Newmarket since the court opened last June was presided over by Magistrate L. J. C. Bull on Tuesday morning.

Alfred Blakely, who was charged with reckless driving on Nov. 22, by Provincial Constable Jack Munroe, was granted a remand for one week by Magistrate Bull.

Norman Pinder, who was charged with reckless driving resulting in an accident on Oct. 20, by Provincial Constable Ferguson, was given a further remand until next week. This case has been adjourned two or three times since the accident, and Pinder is to be notified again, and if he is not present next week a bench warrant is to be sworn out for him, stated Magistrate Bull.

Earl Cook pleaded not guilty to a charge of shooting pheasants in closed season. The charge was laid by Game Warden Frank Lyons of North Gwillimbury.

James Cooney, called by Mr. Lyons was the first witness to give evidence.

"Where do you live?" asked N. L. Mathews, K.C., for the crown.

"I live in Lemonville."

"What is your occupation?"

"I am a trucker."

"Do you know the accused?"

"Yes."

"How long have you known him?"

"A number of years."

"Did you see him on Nov. 25?"

"Mr. Trimmer and myself were back in my pasture looking at some cattle and I saw Mr. Cook shooting pheasants."

"Are you absolutely sure that Cook was shooting pheasants?"

"I was four or five rods away."

"Could you recognize him?"

"Yes. After he had shot four or five times, about a dozen pheasants flew away. Then I saw him pick up a bird of some kind, but I could not recognize what kind of a bird it was, as I was quite a distance away. Later I saw some pheasant feathers where he was shooting."

"Have you seen him there on other occasions?"

"Yes."

Mr. Cook then questioned Mr. Cooney.

"Was there any undergrowth along the fence of the pasture?"

"No, I do not remember seeing it along the fence."

Walter Trimmer was the second witness called by Lyons.

"Where do you live?"

"I live in Bloomington."

"What is your occupation?"

"I am a cattle dealer."

"Tell the judge what happened on Nov. 25."

"I was walking down the lane with Cooney taking a cow to pasture."

"What lane?"

"The lane running between the sixth and seventh concessions."

"I was about 15 or 20 rods from Cook. I heard the gun go off, and then about eight or ten pheasants flew up."

"How did you know it was Cook?"

"I did not see the man closely, but I recognized Cook's car which was a 1925 or 1926 Ford coupe."

"I saw Cook stoop and pick up a bird. Then he climbed over the fence and went toward the car, carrying a gun."

Mr. Cook then questioned Mr. Trimmer to make sure that they were in the same field.

Earl Cook, Lemonville, the accused, gave his evidence.

"Were you on these premises on the day in question?" asked Mr. Mathews.

"No."

"I was with the hired man and my brother. We went back the lane to build a fence around a pasture that I had bought."

"Mr. Cooney is my next-door neighbor."

"I did not have a gun with me."

"Did you see any pheasants?"

"No, I did not see any but a lot of them live along the lane."

"Have you ever attempted to shoot any?"

"No."

"The fence we went to fix was north of the pasture in which I was supposed to be shooting. The growth along the fence was higher than my head."

Herbert Hood, Cook's hired man, testified that he knew both Cooney and Trimmer. He stated that he was with Cook on Nov. 25 and that they went to build a fence.

He carried a crow-bar and a saw, while Cook carried an axe and wire pinchers, but there was not a gun with the party. He didn't see either of the other witnesses, nor did he hear a gun go off. He saw only one pheasant fly out.

Harold Cook, brother of the accused, stated that he went back with his brother and Hood to the fence. He didn't carry any tools. He had a spare day, so he went to help out his brother. He also stated that he had a gun, and that he had not seen anyone around, although he had heard shooting in the afternoon. He testified that because of the growth along the fence the witnesses couldn't have seen them.

Game Warden Lyons testified that there was no growth or brush around the fence, and that the fence was north of the pasture. Mr. Lyons stated that the fence ran east and west.

Mr. Cook then said that Mr. Cooney had said that the fence ran north and south.

Mr. Mathews stated that he thought there must be two different fences in question.

"The case is dismissed," said the magistrate.

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## Holt

The Christmas concert of S.S. No. 6, East Gwillimbury, will be held on Friday evening, Dec. 17, at 8 o'clock. A good program is being given. Everybody is welcome.

Miss Geneva Babcock underwent a tonsil operation at York County hospital, Newmarket, last Tuesday and is doing well.

Miss Caroline Ianson has recovered after an attack of appendicitis.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rye on the death of Mr. Rye's brother-in-law, Mr. Ralph Draper.

Miss Alice Babcock of Uxbridge spent the weekend at her home here.

Mr. Gordon Parm of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marles.

Mr. Jas. Knott and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gibney attended the buttermakers' club banquet at Woodbridge last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Brubacher and son, Garth, spent the weekend in Stouffville.

Mr. William Mitchell and Miss Hattie Mitchell spent Wednesday last with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mitchell of Cannington.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bambridge of Mount Albert have moved to this community.

It is stated that the party who took the box containing a large sum of money last Wednesday night from Knott's store was seen, and that it would be well for the party to return the money within the next five days and save trouble.

## Roche's Point

On Friday evening, Dec. 10, there will be a euchre in the parish hall. Proceeds are in aid of the New Year's party. There will be prizes given. Everyone is urged to come and have a good time.

Much sympathy is felt for the family of the late Rev. A. K. Griffin, a former pastor of Christ church, Roche's Point, who, apparently quite well on Monday, was taken suddenly ill and passed away on Tuesday in the Wesley hospital, Toronto. Those attending the funeral from here were Mr. and Mrs. Wainick, Mr. and Mrs. Bunn, Mr. G. Langridge and the Misses Young.

Miss Edna Boyd spent Thursday in the city and also attended the high school dance in Newmarket on Friday evening, reporting a good time.

Miss M. C. Young spent last week in Toronto.

Mr. P. J. Cole was visiting his son, Mr. Elmer Cole, in Flint, Michigan, last week, returning on Sunday.

Mr. Seymour Godfrey's sister from Port Huron, Michigan, was visiting him last week.

Miss Elsie Badland of Toronto was home over the weekend, also Miss Frances Baines of Toronto and Miss Margaret Baines of Aurora.

Rev. Mr. Forte had an accident coming home on Sunday evening from Holland Landing, but fortunately it was only the car that was injured.

Mrs. Cole's sister, Mrs. Grant of Toronto, spent last week with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Upton were in the city on Wednesday of last week.

## Cedar Brae

Mr. and Mrs. Les. Brown of Newmarket spent Sunday here with Mrs. Brown's father.

Quite a number attended the dance at Carson Crowder's.

Wesley Taylor has gone to Todmorden to work on the section.

Mrs. Herb Galbraith visited relatives here on Sunday.

The school Christmas concert is to be held on the night of Dec. 21.

Mr. John Prout and his sister spent Monday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rae and Misses Lorna and Kathleen, visited Mrs. Rae's mother, Mrs. D. Riddell of Baldwin, on Sunday.

Mr. Charles Milstead of Queensville visited his sisters last week.

## Virginia

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lyons and Olive motored to Toronto last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arksey, Blanche and Vera, also Miss Ethel Rae, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Cleland near Uxbridge.

Mrs. Roy Cronsberry and Eric spent one day last week in Toronto.

Miss Mazie Oliver of Jackson's Point, was visiting her brother, Mr. Howard Oliver, for a few days last week.

A few from here attended the dance in Belhaven last Friday evening.

Miss Marie Lyons of Sutton visited her cousin, Miss Marion Lyons, last weekend.

Mr. James Watt has been spending the past week visiting friends in Toronto.

SUTTON  
O.H.A. TEAM WILL  
PLAY IN "B" GROUP

At a public meeting held in the Sutton public library last Thursday evening, it was decided to enter Sutton's O.H.A. team in Intermediate "B" grouping the same as last year. Entering the team in Intermediate "A" company, to play against Newmarket's "A" entry was considered, but was voted down. It was explained that even though Sutton and Newmarket should enter "A" grouping they would still play in "B" group consisting of Bobcaygeon, Cannington, Newmarket, Port Perry and Sutton. It was thought advisable to remain in Intermediate "B" company for this season.

A large crowd attended the meeting, there being representatives from many of the surrounding villages, from which the club receives considerable support.

The president of the club, Jack Sibbald, was in the chair and was assisted by James Treloar, group convener, and secretary of the local club.

SUTTON  
WILL BUY MORE  
FIRE EQUIPMENT

At the monthly meeting of the Sutton council on Monday a suggestion was made by Fire Chief Jas. Sedore that the supply of fire hose be replenished by the purchase of an additional 150 feet. After a short discussion the motion was carried.

It was moved by Reeve W. H. Pugsley and seconded by Frank Burrows that certain street lights that are located at Jackson's Point be cut off for the winter months and also that service to such lights be discontinued hereafter for the first three and last three months of the year. The lights in question are located in sections where the homes are used only for the summer months.

A petition, received by council, asked that council consider installing a street light on North street. Prompt action was promised.

Clerk M. O. Tremayne read a letter of thanks from the Aurora fire brigade in response to this village's remittance to them of \$25 as a reimbursement for their invaluable services rendered a short time ago, when fire razed three large buildings in the business section of the town.

The following accounts passed for payment were: Chas. Scott, fire dept., \$54.25; G. M. Morrison, fire dept., \$14.00; R. J. Sedore, rescue crew, \$12.04; N. W. Burrows, rescue crew, \$4.25; N. W. Burrows, relief, 70c; W. H. Martin, relief, 58c; Sutton Dairy and Creamery Ltd., relief, \$8.20; J. L. Burrows, relief wood, \$0.75; G. F. McDonald, relief, \$12.02; G. N. Timmins, transportation, \$3; J. A. Lathier, relief, \$12.41; Sutton Hydro Electric Comm., \$2,010.50; town hall, lights, \$3.00; Canadian Surety Co., bond, \$10; A. Shadwick, police duty, \$4; Township of North Gwillimbury, grading, \$30; M. O. Tremayne, supply, \$2.05; department of health, insulin, \$10; Mrs. J. G. Andrus, relief, \$4; F. G. Pugsley, relief, \$1.95; Wong's Cafe, transcripts, \$3; city treasurer, Toronto, relief, \$12.50; Jos. Ames, ditcher, \$3; Fred C. Brady, culvert and roads, \$3.70; Dr. O. M. Beattie, medical, \$4.50.

On motion, council adjourned.

MAPLEHILL  
TIME OF SERVICE  
CHANGED SUNDAY

Next Sunday the time of services at Maplehill change to Sunday-school at 1.45 p.m. and gospel preaching service at 2.45 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

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For Sale—15 young geese. Apply Mrs. Norman Richards, 2nd concession, Queensville. \*1w45

For Sale — Boys' skates and boots, size 6; school boots, size 6; oxford, size 7. Want to buy large-size tricycle. Phone 183 or call at 23 Queen West. c1w45

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J. W. Crawford,  
Township Clerk. c1w45

### Sale Register

Monday, Dec. 13—Auction sale of household furnishings, the property of James A. Nelson, at 23 Millard Ave. Sale starts at 8 p.m. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. \*1w45

Wednesday, Dec. 15—Auction sale of farm stock and implements, the property of Thomas Boyce, at Lot 3, Concession 7, East Gwillimbury. Sale at 7 o'clock. Terms cash. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. c1w45

### BIRTHS

Parke—At York County hospital, Dec. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Parke, Newmarket, a son.

### DEATHS

Dowse—At Toronto, Saturday, Dec. 4, Dorothy J., wife of Robert O. Dowse, 16 Wolverson avenue, aged 47 years.

Funeral service was held on Tuesday. Interment Hartman cemetery, Ontario.

Griffin—In Toronto, on Tuesday, Nov. 30, Rev. Arthur K. Griffin.

The funeral service was held in Toronto on Dec. 3. Interment St. John's cemetery, York Mills.

Heise—On Thursday, Dec. 2, Rev. David W. Heise, husband of the late Susanna Sheffer, and father of Beulah, in his 78th year.

Funeral service was held at his late residence, Gormley, on Sunday, followed by service in Heise Hill church. Interment adjoining cemetery.

Tarr—At Lot 15, Concession 7, Whitchurch township, on Friday, Dec. 3, John Tarr, husband of Dorcas Ann Mitchell, in his 68th year.

Funeral was held from his late residence on Monday, Dec. 6, with service in Lemonville church. Interment Stouffville cemetery.

Wilton—At north Yonge street, near Newmarket, on Monday, Dec. 6, George Wilton, in his 71st year.

Funeral service at his late residence, Lot 104, Concession 1, East Gwillimbury, on Thursday. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Quast—At Newmarket, on Friday, Dec. 3, Bertha Quast, wife of Emil Quast, in her 78th year. Funeral was held from the residence of her son, Samuel Quast, Prospect Ave. on Sunday.

### In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear daughter, Doris Morrill, who passed away Dec. 9, 1936. Time may heal the broken hearted,

Years may make the wound less sore, But it cannot fill the longing For the loved one gone before. Who shall say the grief is lessened,

Though the smile may hide the tear, Memories keep the wound still open. Despite the passing of the years, Lovingly remembered by mother, father, sisters, brothers.

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### In Memoriam

Moody—In loving memory of a dear Mother, Sarah Moody, who passed away Dec. 11th, 1936. Till memory fades and life departs

She lives forever in our hearts. Lovingly remembered by her daughters, Gertrude and Lena.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Douglas May wishes to express her heartfelt appreciation of the kindness of neighbors and friends both at the time of the Thursday night fire in helping to save furnishings and afterwards in helping her in other ways.

### CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Frederick Henry Mears wish to express their sincere thanks and deep appreciation to their many friends and neighbors for their kind expression of sympathy and floral tributes in the loss of a loving father.

### Social and Personal

—Miss Florence Brockies of Norwood spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Alex MacKay.

—Mrs. Robert Martin entertained at afternoon tea on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Howard Cane. Mrs. Aubrey Davis and Mrs. W. L. Bosworth poured tea.

—Mrs. H. H. Curtis and son and daughter of Winnipeg, moved here this week and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Curtis.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patterson spent last Thursday visiting their daughter, Mrs. William Campbell at London.

—Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mount and Beverly visited Mr. and Mrs. Pegg of Hope on Sunday.

—Miss Margaret Duncan of Toronto spent the weekend at her home here.

—Miss Jean Peppiatt of Toronto was home for the weekend.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Manning spent the weekend in Toronto.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong and Irene spent the weekend in Toronto recently.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Harrison of Bradford attended the Newmarket high school alumni dance last Friday evening.

—Mrs. J. H. Wells is leaving Newmarket to take up residence in Ames, Iowa, for the next few months.

—Miss Mary Clarke, nurse-in-training at Whitby, was home for the weekend and attended the alumni dance.

—Mr. Bill Janes of Hamilton spent the weekend at his home and attended the alumni dance at the high school.

—Among the former students who attended the alumni dance at the high school were Mr. Alan Cane, of Toronto; Messrs. Jack and Joseph Dales of the University of Toronto; Miss Reba and Messrs. Aubrey and Wendall Cunningham of Toronto; Miss Verna Hammett of Toronto; Miss Laura Phimister, Miss Marjorie Guy, Miss Florence Goldsmith, Miss Phyllis Peppiatt of Newmarket; Miss Helen Guy of Toronto; Miss Ruth Bothwell of Newmarket; Mr. James McFale, Mr. Arthur Peppiatt, and Mr. Russell Caldwell.

—Among those present at the alumni dance at Newmarket high school last Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kidd; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bastedo, Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Guy, Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Munro, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. R. Silver, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hickson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hugo, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bosworth, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. R. Bell, Dr. and Mrs. Lowell Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack King.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF CLARA WATSON, LATE OF THE TOWN OF NEWMARKET, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, WIDOW, DECEASED

Creditors of the above-named deceased, who died at the Town of Newmarket, on the Second day of November, 1937, are hereby notified pursuant to The Trustee Act to send to the undersigned proof of their claims on or before the Eleventh day of January, 1938, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this Ninth day of December, 1937.  
D. R. McCann and Dorothy V. Coupland, Executors, by their Solicitors Mathews & Lyons, Newmarket, Ont. c3w45

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### AUCTION SALE

The executors of the estate of Henrietta Pegg, deceased, will offer for sale by public auction, at the King George Hotel, Newmarket on Saturday, Dec. 18, the following property: consisting of lot no. 16, concession 6, township of North Gwillimbury (excepting the southwest quarter), containing 150 acres, more or less, being about 1½ miles from the village of Belhaven; on a splendid road, rural mail delivery, with Hydro and phone available.

On premises are said to be a frame dwelling of good construction and ample dimensions, barn 45x65 feet, hip steel roof; shed 20x40, all on stone foundation; plenty of stabling, root cellar, implement shed, hog pens and poultry house. The property is well fenced and is watered by wells and flowing springs, a good cistern; about 100 acres of ploughed land, balance pasture and bush. The property is very desirable and particularly adapted to mixed farming, and should interest any person looking for a good farm home.

Will be offered subject to a reserved bid.

Further particulars and conditions of sale will be announced at time of auction, and, in meantime, upon application to Mathews & Lyons, Solicitors, Newmarket, or to Evans & Evans, Solicitors, Bradford, Ontario.

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## CHURCHES

### FRIENDS MEETING

Burton S. Hill, Minister  
Sunday, Dec. 12  
11 a.m. Friendly worship.  
7 p.m. Christmas Cantata—by the ladies' choir from the adult school at Friends Meeting in Toronto.

### TRINITY UNITED CHURCH

The speaker for the morning service Sunday, Dec. 12, will be Rev. T. W. Neal, D. D., a former pastor of the church.

In the evening the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. A. J. Thomas.

Sunday, Dec. 19—White Gift Service in charge of the Sunday-school.

### VETERANS SPONSOR EUCHE RE AND DANCE

The annual Christmas Cheer Fund dance, eucure and draw is to be held under the auspices of the Newmarket Veterans Association at the town hall, Newmarket, on Dec. 15, at 7.30 p.m., and promises to be the best night's fun for all in attendance. Valuable prizes are offered, so don't miss this date. Admission 25 cents. Art West's orchestra in attendance.

the set of dishes, "The Pride of Erin", and all ladies who did not receive the vegetable dish are requested to forward name and address to P.O. Box 541, Newmarket.

## HOLIDAY BARGAINS AT BRUNTON'S

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Big bag of Pop-Corn and toy, all for 10c

Fresh Cream Candy and Chocolates, pound ..... 18c

3 Tins Peas ..... 25c

2 Tins Clark's Pork and Beans . 19c

Lemon and Orange Peels, pound . 25c

Seedless Raisins, 2 lbs. .... 25c

Lexia Raisins (Seeds in) 2 lbs. . 25c

Red Glace Cherries 1-2 lb. .... 20c

York Brand Pumpkin, large tin . 10c

New Cheese, mild, pound ..... 19c

Pitted Dates, 2 lbs. .... 25c

Golden Yellow Sugar, 5 lbs. .... 29c

Blue Ribbon Tea, 1-2 lb. pkg. . 28c

Pure Butter Scotch Candy, pound . 19c

Christmas Tree Novelties, each . 5c

Pastry Flour, 24 lb. bag ..... 69c

SPECIAL—11 oz. jar Peanut Butter 14c

"Banquet" Tomato Juice, per tin . 5c

Shelled Walnuts, 1-2 lb. .... 19c

### SPECIAL NOTICE

Santa Claus Parade, Saturday, December 18th  
Farmers' Christmas Prize Market, Wednesday, December 22nd

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### LOCAL CO-OP STORE ELECTS COMMITTEE

Patrons of the Newmarket branch of the Yorkdale Co-operative Limited met on Monday evening at the Bugle Band hall to discuss various aspects of the co-operative.

It was decided to appoint two special advisory committees, one to deal with matters affecting the operations of the store, the other to concern itself with the produce division.

The local store committee consisting of four patrons elected at the meeting, and three members of the board of directors follow: Miss L. Starr and Messrs. Arthur Lomas, McClymont and Oliver were elected at the meeting, and Messrs. Arthur Evans, Dennis, and A. M. Chipman represent the board of directors on this committee.

The produce committee consists of B. Heaslip and Ben Howard, elected at the Newmarket meeting, and Wilbert Jennings and Lambert Wilson appointed at a similar meeting in Aurora. Ernest Clarke, Frank Williams, and Leonard Harman were chosen to represent the board of directors.

Brief addresses were made by Leonard Harman on the opportunities for adult education through the facilities of the Pickering College extension department, and by G. M. T. Widdington, president, A. M. Mills, secretary, R. C. Swerdlow, general manager, and A. M. Chipman, director of the Yorkdale Co-operative.

At a similar meeting held on Tuesday evening at Aurora an advisory store committee and members of the produce committee were chosen.

### COMMISSIONER SPEAKS AT B. I. MEETING

Rev. E. J. Springett, Dominion commissioner of the British Israel federation, was the speaker at the meeting held in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday night. He spoke on current events in the light of British Israel knowledge. Dr. D. McIntyre opened the meeting and introduced the speaker. There was a capacity crowd present.

### Mount Pleasant

Winter is here again, and sleigh bells are ringing. The three days storm made it bad for cars.

Quite a number were at church on Sunday. It would be nice to see more at Sabbath-school.

The Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Moulds on Friday afternoon. Supper will be served from 5.30 to 8 p.m. All are cordially invited and all members provide.

Miss Iva Stiles has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Bernard Davidson.

The ladies are reminded of the short course in nursing that is being held every Monday and Thursday nights at 7.30 o'clock.

Messrs. Jack and Harry Davis have been ill the last week. Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins spent last Saturday at the home of Mr. Selby Sedore.

### Pottageville

The ladies of the Women's Association will meet in the United church next Wednesday afternoon about 2 p.m.

Sunday-school and church worship service were held in the United church on Sunday as usual with Rev. H. W. Strapp taking charge of the worship service and preaching a sermon on the "Ideal of the church." The choir sang an anthem. The congregation were glad to welcome David Fegan back from Hamilton. His new work impaired his health and he was advised to return to the farm of H. Bowman.

The neighborhood wishes Mrs. J. Hill, who is seriously ill, a speedy recovery.

Mr. Roy Emmerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Emmerson, has to undergo an operation on his throat. The neighborhood wishes him a speedy recovery.

Electricity and hot water heating were installed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Archibald last week.

Mr. Ambrose Archibald spent the weekend at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Brown of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A.

### UNTIL CHRISTMAS



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WRIGHTMAN SCORES 4

Aurora's junior hockey squad hiked 60 miles northwards on Thursday night to do battle with a husky group of youngsters of the Penatung-Midland club. They came out of the thrilling, ding-dong fracas with a well-earned 5-4 victory.

That is, they earned a higher score, but Morley White, Midland's spread-eagling net-minder, wouldn't let them have it. He did everything but swallow the puck to hold back the attack that cluttered up the ice in front of him for the greater part of the night.

Not that the Midland team are a bunch of push-overs; far from it. They have a sizeable, fast-skating group of youngsters, and will give Barrie a run before the season is far advanced. At present, however, they are still on the make and their attack lacked the finished passing shown by the locals on Thursday.

Aurora's more experienced forward strings had a field day but their ganging attack left the way open for the Midland opportunists to break away for four clean tallies.

Penatung drew first blood when "Nap" Lalonde took the puck from the mob in front of his own net and tore up the ice to score at the end of five minutes play. "Fat" James went off for charging, closely followed by H. Abbott of the opposition.

Shorty Wrightman, star of the Aurora attack, tied the score ten minutes later. In the second

SEWAGE PLANT PASSES  
GOVERNMENT INSPECTION

An analysis of the sewage effluent from the town's sewage disposal plant, made by the department of health, shows the plant to be working very satisfactorily, it was revealed at council on Monday. Only half of the solid content allowed by the department was found in the analysis.

period Wrightman bulged the twine again, and the Penatung goalies was extended to hold off a dozen shots in the next few minutes. Wrightman and Laval Dubau took trips to the cooler for hectic play, after which Shorty, with some help from Bill Wilson, made the score 3-2.

Audie DesRoches and Bruce Manson evened it up for the Penatung-Midland squad early in the third spasm. Then James turned in a tally which was followed by Wrightman's fourth score, made with the assistance of Hugh Mair. With five minutes to go, Harbor, on an assist by Abbott turned in Midland's fourth counter.

Members of the teams taking part in the exhibition game were: Penatung-Midland: goal, M. White; defence, W. Dubau, R. Lalonde; centre, A. DesRoches; wings, T. Ahearn, B. Manson; alternates: H. Abbott, J. Arbour, L. Dunklemaier, B. Harbor; S. St. Amant, Joy, J. Valbeau, Laval Dubau.

Aurora: Goal, W. Groves; defence, C. James, A. Boake; centre, Bill Wilson; wings, S. Wrightman, H. Mair alternates, M. Collings; K. Knowles, E. McComb, S. Groskurth, R. Follitt, W. Bernard, B. Carter.

BAPTIST CHURCH  
GETS NEW ORGAN

Members of the Aurora Baptist church will have a new organ and a new platform structure for their services, the pastor, Rev. A. R. Park, told The Era this week. They will be ready by Sunday morning, he stated.

The pastor is continuing his morning sermon series, and on Sunday will speak on "The people nurtured in the transcendent superiority and finality of Christianity."

In the evening there will be another of the illustrated hymn services, it was stated.

VANDORF  
CHRISTMAS STORY  
WILL BE PLAYED

Mrs. Edmund Powell of Berlin, Maryland, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Willis.

The Ladies' Aid of Wesley church met at the home of Mrs. James Oliver on Wednesday afternoon, and the following officers were elected for the new year: president, Mrs. A. Bert Dike; vice-pres., Mrs. A. D. Richardson; treasurer, Mrs. John Petch; secretary, Mrs. Wilfred Lundy; pianist, Mrs. Roy Morley; assistant, Mrs. H. Oliver; flower committee convener, Mrs. James Oliver; sick visiting committee, second concession, Mrs. P. Allen, Miss Annie Dike; third concession, Mrs. Ewart, Mrs. George Mackey; fourth concession, Mrs. Edgar Rose, Mrs. Robert Carr; fifth concession, east and south, Mrs. T. Brilling, Mrs. Roy Morley; fifth concession, north, Mrs. George Sproxtion, Mrs. R. Sproxtion.

Wesley Christmas concert will be held at the church on the evening of Dec. 22. The Christmas story will be given in play form, built up around the theme of the Bethlehem innkeeper.

FINE ORCHARD  
WILLING WORKERS  
ELECT OFFICERS

Willing Workers  
Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brandon of Port Credit had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. George Sproxtion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kay spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt were guests for Sunday tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ponting, Bradford.

Miss Gladys Harper had Friday tea with Mr. and Mrs. Colville.

The monthly meeting of the Institute will be held on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Roy Howlett. The program will be in charge of the legislation committee. A paper on Canadianization will be given by Miss L. Starr; current events, by Miss Ostley; music, Ingleside orchestra. Members are asked to note that there will not be an exchange of gifts this year, but a handkerchief shower in aid of the Children's Shelter at Willowdale.

A very good attendance was at the Willing Workers last Wednesday at Mrs. Colville's home. Mrs. Hope gave a splendid paper on "planning our Christmas giving."

The election of officers was as follows: hon. pres., Mrs. G. McClure; pres., Mrs. L. Harper; sec. treas., Mrs. R. Armitage; pianist, Mrs. H. Howlett; program comm., Mrs. Willis; auditors, Mrs. D. McClure and Mrs. Toole.

## Kettleby

Mr. James Watson and son of Purplehill were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Curtis.

Miss Pearl Blatchford spent the weekend with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Billings attended the funeral of the late Miss Violet Cave of Bradford on Sunday.

The Baptist church held its annual congregational chicken supper at the home of Mr. John Elliott on Tuesday evening last.

On Tuesday evening of last week the A.Y.P.A. had the pleasure of hearing Mr. Ernest Armstrong, retired officer of the Toronto police force, speak to them on his experiences. This was greatly enjoyed by the members.

The annual business meeting of the Women's Guild will be held at the home of Mrs. E. E. Williams on Tuesday next.

A number from here attended the hot meat supper at Schomberg on Saturday evening.

Mr. William Ramsden of Port Credit is visiting friends in the neighborhood.

Mr. Fred Judges of Oak Ridges spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Judges.

The executive included C. E. Sparks, C. E. Lundy, Lorne C. Lee, James Patterson and A. M. Kirkwood.

LOCAL BAKER MAKES  
HOBBY OF FROG FARM

Aurora has an infant industry on its doorstep. The Era learned from Ernest Fortier, a local baker, on Monday. The industry is that of frog-farming and is a little over two years old. That it is a thriving child is evidenced by the fact that Mr. Fortier expects to have between 25,000 and 30,000 frogs ready for market next year.

Mr. Fortier first became interested in frogs while living in Montreal, and when he moved to Aurora several years ago, he found here the opportunity to develop his hobby.

In his attempt to sell his frogs in Toronto this summer he learned that all Toronto wanted was the legs. Inasmuch as Mr. Fortier's frogs tip the scale up to two and one-half pounds, he felt that Toronto should go the whole frog, as it were.

While legs represent the best the frog has to offer, the rest of the body is almost equal in tastiness, Mr. Fortier believes. Frogs' legs are fried, the rest is more at home in the "stew" family, he says.

The solution of his problem, Mr. Fortier told The Era, lies in the canning business. He is now investigating the possibility of canning in Aurora, the legs and the bodies to be canned separately.

Only about ten per cent of wild frogs are breeders, Mr. Fortier says, and it is almost impossible for novices to find them. And in the wild stage only about 30 per cent of the eggs become frogs. The rest go to make the menus of birds and snakes.

Cultivated frogs' eggs have a 90 per cent chance of survival. This, and the fact that table frogs are becoming scarce in the vicinity of large cities where they are profitably marketed, are Mr. Fortier's reasons for believing in the future of his frog farm.

At The Era's request, Mr. Fortier has prepared the following draft of information:

Frogs are tailless amphibians, and there are 450 species of them. They start out in life with gills, a tail, and a fish-like blood circulation. From this they change, in mid-stream, to lungs, legs and animal blood circulation. The early, sucker-like mouth of the tadpole changes to a well-developed mouth.

Frogs may be found in the

water, in the woods, or solely on land. Ignorance of frog classification often causes people to call them reptiles; others call them fish. Neither is correct.

The frogs in which Mr. Fortier is interested are of course the edible variety. Mr. Fortier knows them well. He spent considerable time in studying them. He expects to make money out of them. So he is not describing them for publication.

The two chief factors in favor of frogs' meat are flavor and digestibility. It contains very little fat or carbohydrates and is therefore different in flavor from other meats. Another important difference is its water content, which is 84 per cent, compared to an approximate 74 per cent in other meat.

Frog meat contains less acid-forming substance than practically any other meat. Its content is 10.36 per cent. Veal, for example, is 13.52; oysters, 30; and beef, 13.91 per cent. For invalids, therefore, frog meat may have a value all its own.

"And now," says Mr. Fortier, "I will tell you how frog meat was discovered. It happened centuries ago in Europe. A monk spied a frog in the clutches of a snake. Curiously, he followed the frog on its way to the pond, and suddenly found it necessary to rescue it from the monastery mascot, a cat."

"What is there about this creature," pondered the monk, "to cause all others to want to destroy it?"

"The monk followed the frog until it had reached the pond. Suddenly the pond broke into many ripples and another and larger frog leapt at it and swallowed it."

"Goodness!" exclaimed the monk. "I was curious when I saw a snake try to eat you. I could scarcely believe my eyes when the cat wanted you too, but now this! Your own parent wants to eat you! It is more than I can stand."

"Whereupon the monk took up both frogs, rushed to the monastery kitchen and a few minutes later, over a plate of browned frogs' legs, he learned why the frog has so many enemies."

Since then, Mr. Fortier says, there have been found over 50 different methods of cooking frogs.

SOCIAL  
AND  
PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fobert of Toronto were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Willis on Sunday.

Mrs. Mole has returned to Toronto after spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Robert Hacking.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rank, Mrs. N. Egan and Mrs. Del. Barkley motored on Sunday to visit Mrs. Rank, Sr., of Midland. Aurora S. and P. ....

Miss Mary Elliott of Toronto spent the weekend with her mother here.

Mrs. D. Nelson is visiting in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grice spent Sunday with Mr. Grice's sister, who is ill, in Toronto.

Mrs. Ed. Smith has returned from New York.

Miss Mary Case of Toronto has been visiting Mrs. Douglas Case.

## ARDILL-SNOR

A wedding of interest to this district took place on Monday at the home of the bride's parents, when Jane Jacqueline, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Snor, of Bradford, became the bride of John Aubrey Thomas Ardill, only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ardill of Aurora. Rev. Dr. E. J. Thompson of Aurora performed the ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a lovely gown of Burgundy chiffon velvet and carried a bouquet of Talisman roses and African daisies. Miss Isabelle Munro, of Toronto, attended the bride, and Mr. Norman Hillary of Aurora was best man. Mrs. Charles H. Kott of Hamilton, sister of the bride, played the wedding music.

Following the reception Mr. and Mrs. Ardill left for a wedding trip through the eastern states.

## MISS G. DAWSON SHOWERED

Mrs. G. E. Duffield, Tyler St., held a shower on Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Gladys Dawson, who is to marry Hugh McIntyre of Toronto on Dec. 30.

## United W.M.S.

## Chose Officers

Mrs. Roy De La Haye was named president of the W.M.S. of the United church by members of the society who gathered in the church parlors for the annual meeting and election of officers on Thursday afternoon. Honorary presidents are Mrs. Henry Harper and Mrs. David Rogers. Other officers elected were: Honorary vice-president, Mrs. E. J. Thompson; vice-presidents, Mrs. W. J. Bassett, Mrs. G. R. Ardill and Mrs. J. Langford; recording secretary, Mrs. R. Swarfdger; corresponding and literary secretary, Mrs. G. W. Williams; treasurer, Mrs. T. Grimshaw; community friendship secretary, Mrs. H. J. Beyeroff; stewardship and finance, Mrs. A. M. Clarke; associate helpers, Lois Love; League of Nations, Mrs. S. Stephens; missionary monthly, Mrs. James Underhill; baby band, Mrs. R. Neilly; mission band, Mrs. P. M. Thompson and Mrs. Hugh Bowman; supplies, Miss M. Ough and Mrs. Henry Bain; program, Mrs. W. H. Adams; press, Mrs. M. L. Andrews.

Town Liability Insurance  
Placed At Cost Of \$1,275Veterans Aided In Efforts  
To Assist Needy At  
Christmas

After a thorough consideration of all proposals, the town's liability insurance, which has been a matter of debate for some time, should be placed with a tariff company represented by Hugh Bowman, it was decided by the council on Monday.

The premium of \$1,275 was the lowest bid submitted. An original bid by another company had been \$1,700.

A request was received by the veterans for a grant to cover the cost of Mechanics' hall for their entertainment on Dec. 21, and was approved by the council.

"I think we should know what they do with the money," Councilor John Stuart protested.

"The money is for the needy at Christmas time," the mayor said. "Widows of veterans receive presents."

"It's a very worthy cause," Councilor Lorne C. Lee agreed.

At the suggestion of the board of trade the Aurora council will call a public meeting to be held in Mechanics' hall on Dec. 13, to discuss preparations for the town's jubilee year in 1938.

It is proposed to select a chairman and committee members to take charge of the jubilee activities.

Local Team Gets  
Hockey Schedule

Representatives of the various hockey clubs with which Aurora will play this winter met in Toronto on Tuesday night to draw up the schedule for the coming season.

The following are the Aurora games: Aurora at Richmond Hill, Dec. 27; Aurora at Stouffville, Jan. 3; Aurora at Scarborough, Jan. 7; Aurora at Markham, Jan. 11; East York at Aurora, Jan. 14; Richmond Hill at Aurora, Jan. 21; Scarborough at Aurora, Jan. 21; Stouffville at Aurora, Jan. 28; Aurora at East York, Feb. 1; Markham at Aurora, Feb. 4.

## PLAN WHITE GIFTS

Both the United and the Presbyterian churches are holding their annual "white gift" Sunday on Dec. 19.

Y.P. S. HEAR ABOUT  
TRIP TO BOMBAY

The Young People's meeting, held in the United church on Monday night, was featured by a lecture given by W. A. Findlay on his trip to Bombay, after which the members joined in a treasure hunt in which articles from various countries were hidden.

The Young People will meet at the church next Monday and visit the Anglican Young People for the evening. Each member is requested to bring a girl's gift, not exceeding 15 cents in value.

ASSISTANT HIRED  
IN CLERK'S OFFICE

"A filing cabinet has been purchased for the clerk's office," Councilor Lorne C. Lee, chairman of the finance committee, reported to the council on Monday.

"We have secured an assistant to aid in the filing during the month of December in the person of Keith Davis," he continued.

"When is the auditor coming?" he was asked.

"I think the auditor should be notified to be here right away," Mayor Dr. C. R. Boulding stated.

It had been decided, at a previous meeting, to have the auditor supervise the installation of the new filing system.

Children's Hour  
Set For Library

Because of the increased juvenile circulation resulting from the new books purchased in co-operation with the public school, library regulations will have to be enforced, it was decided at a meeting of the library board on Monday.

URGE VACCINATION  
AGAINST SMALL-POX

The report of Dr. Stevenson, Aurora health officer, is a very satisfactory one, it was learned at council on Monday. Forty had been inoculated for diphtheria and three vaccinated. There were practically no communicable diseases, it stated.

"We should urge the necessity of immunizing against small-pox," the mayor stated.

"We should have an article put in the paper," Councilor John Stuart agreed.

The new books are those on the supplementary reading list in the new course of study.

Children are asked therefore to come to the library only on the following days and hours: Wednesday, 4-6 p.m.; Saturday, 10-11 a.m. and 3-5 p.m. The assistant librarian will be on hand on Wednesday afternoon to help take care of the children.

## BOYS' GROUP CONTINUES

The boys' study group led by Dr. J. L. Urquhart are carrying on despite lack of a permanent meeting place. The meetings are being held in each of the boys' homes in turn.

Two By-Laws Slated  
For Electors' VoteDecision Asked On Boys'  
Band Grant And  
Hydro Renewal

## PASS TRANSIENT LAW

The electors of Aurora will be called upon to vote on two by-laws at the annual election to be held on Jan. 3. It was divulged at the council meeting on Monday.

One by-law is to provide \$500 in taxes in each of the next three years for maintenance of the boys' band. The other by-law provides for the renewal of the agreement with the Hydro Electric Power Commission, successors to the Toronto and York Radial Co.

A transient traders' by-law, establishing a license fee of \$100, was passed by the council with little discussion. The by-law was designed to protect merchants operating permanently in the town and not to keep out new business, it was stated.

A penalty of \$50 is provided. The regular by-law needed to provide for the election of a mayor, reeve, deputy-revee and five councillors, and for the appointment of poll-clerks and deputy-returning officers, was passed. A grant of \$50 for the Central Highway Association was approved.

Mr. Peterson, local baker, had taken up with the mayor the matter of supplying bread for those on relief. Bread had previously been brought in to retail at eight cents a loaf, it was stated.

The local bakeries are now willing to provide bread at this price, Mr. Peterson told the mayor. It

HOLD HIGH SCHOOL  
COMMENCEMENT RITES

The commencement exercises of Aurora high school will be held in the school's assembly hall on Friday. A one act play will follow the presentation of medals and prizes. The high school orchestra will be in attendance.

will be of better quality than the bread brought from outside, and will differ from the bread regularly sold by these bakeries only in that it is unwrapped, the council was told.

"Local workmen should be supported," the mayor stated.

Those on relief must buy their bread from the local bakeries, the council decided.

Accounts passed at the town council meeting on Monday evening were as follows: Aurora Building Co., \$48; C. A. Cook, \$11.70; Dr. W. J. Stevenson, \$3.60; 47; Dr. Williams, \$11; Bell Telephone, \$20.58; Office Specialty Co., \$57.30; Davis Garage, \$2.04; J. F. Willis, \$1.05; Veterans, \$10; Attbridge & Son, \$7.91; P. M. Thompson, \$3.75; F. Rowland, \$3.50; H. F. Davis, \$38; Aurora Hardware, \$29.76; James Proctor and Redfern, \$20.01; Frankcom Garage, \$20.78; clerk, postage, \$10.60; H. A. Bowman, \$25.60; \$10.12; J. M. Wallon, \$10.12; \$25.10, \$20.20; H. Armitage, \$30.20; F. R. Underhill, \$105; \$175.72; National Iron Corp., \$391.19; Canada Valve and Hydrant Co., \$70.50; hydro, \$2,469.67; pole rental, \$214.75; Sangamo Co., \$132.71; Feranti Electric, \$39.84.

Quality Of Aurora Water  
Brings New Resident HereAiling Folk Test Town's  
Drinking Water And  
Find It Good

This town's drinking water is something besides wet, The Era learned in an interview with Frank Grainger on Monday. It is also a good real estate salesman. It has sold Mr. Grainger's Connaught St. home for him, and there are intimations that another home may be sold by virtue of its excellence.

Mr. Grainger is building a new home on Mark St. The people who have purchased his old house are Mr. and Mrs. Alex Annan of Pictou. Mrs. Annan is a sufferer from rheumatism, and Aurora water, the purity of which owes nothing to chlorine, is apparently just what the doctor ordered.

The search for such water has been carried on by Mr. and Mrs. Annan in a number of towns, The Era learned. A test of Aurora water ended the search, and the town welcomes another resident. Mr. and Mrs. Annan spread the good word, and there are possibilities that a relative may also seek a home here.

READY FOR WINTER  
DEPUTY-REEVE REPORTS

"Catch basins have been prepared for the winter and the ditches have been cleaned out," Deputy-Reeve C. A. Malloy, chairman of the roads and bridge committee, told the council on Monday.

Refuse Collector Finds Work  
Increased; Gets \$120. ExtraWork Has Been Well Done,  
Town Is Fortunate  
Mayor States

"I used to take only four or five loads, now it needs six or seven," Bill Trent, who has charge of the town's refuse collection, told the council on Monday. "I have to have a helper," he continued.

"Garbage is not properly wrapped or kept dry," he complained.

The tender for garbage collection was let to Mr. Trent some years ago for \$1,200 a year, and since the expiration of the contract he has worked on a monthly salary, receiving a few years ago a cut of ten per cent on the \$1,200 figure.

"There have been complaints about the garbage collection, but they have not been very far complaints," Mayor Dr. C. R. Boulding stated. "Mr. Trent's work has been very good. Compared with other towns we are fortunate. His work has increased."

"I would suggest that we give him \$120 for extra work during the past year," Councilor Stuart said.

This was agreed on by the council. Consideration of arrangements for 1938 will be left to the new council, it was decided.

## HOLD CONCERT

The Sunday-school of the United church will hold its Christmas concert on Wednesday evening, Dec. 22, at 7.30 o'clock.

## Schomberg

The Old English dinner and bazaar, which was put on by the women of the Anglican church on Saturday last, was a most decided success in spite of the wet snowfall and bad roads. A splendid crowd turned out to partake of

## PLAN NUT SHOWER

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will hold a shower of nuts and candies on Tuesday, to be used for the Christmas concert.

the hot roast beef and plum pudding, with all the trimmings.

The concert was arranged by Mrs. F. Hunter and was well received. Miss Helen McGowan and Mr. D. Packer of Linthouse contributed solos; little Misses Valerie Hunter and Gwendolyn Robb delighted the audience with songs and dancing in costume; Mrs. Preston and Mrs. G. Lister of Lloydtown gave piano and vocal solos. Others assisting were Dr. M. K. Dillane with one of his timely readings; Miss Helen Abbott with a song, and Rev. H. Hunt who spoke briefly.

Misses Lorna Dillane and Kathleen Abbott of Toronto spent Sunday at their respective homes here.

Misses Marjorie and Alice Burke, Mrs. Burke and Mr. J. Burke of Grand Valley were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Wauchop.

Schomberg, Dec. 1.—Public school was closed on Friday because of the teachers' convention in Toronto.

Mrs. F. Claridge and Anne Claire spent a few days in North Bay last week.

The Young People of the United church, King, presented their play "The Man in the Green Shirt" in the town hall here on Nov. 25 under the auspices of the Presbyterian church. The play was well put on and a fair crowd attended.

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No Northern Police Station  
Provided, Council LearnsSecondary Education Costs  
Will Be Increased By  
About \$1,900

"There will be no police station in the northern part of the county," Reeve Bert Knowles told the council on Monday. "There will be county officers stationed at Richmond Hill, Aurora and Newmarket. The officer for Richmond Hill has already been appointed."

"It is unfair to saddle the town with extra police cost," Councilor J. Stuart objected.

"The county is paying for it," Deputy-Reeve C. A. Malloy told him.

"It represents a saving on the other plan," the mayor stated.

Reporting on county council's action in connection with the central Ontario highway, the reeve stated that two roads, one near Newmarket and one passing

## CONCERT WILL BE HELD

The annual Sunday-school concert of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will be held on Wednesday.

through Aurora, had been taken over by the county and would be improved.



## Snowball

The home conference course sponsored by the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. George Case of the second concession on Dec. 8 when Miss Esther Slicer put on the demonstration.

The W.A. of the United church

have postponed their December meeting indefinitely owing to the W. I. meeting falling on that date. The bazaar and tea sponsored by the W.A. held at Mrs. Arthur Storey's was a decided success. Her friends are glad to know of the improved condition of Mrs. Chas. Casey, who is now able to be back home again after spending the past three weeks in a Toronto hospital.

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## The Common Round

By Isabel Inglis Colville

Arrival And Departure

"And here's New York," said Mr. Briscoe, at seven o'clock on Saturday morning.

Glancing from my window, I wasn't much impressed — tall, dreary-looking, red brick tenements seemed to stretch in every direction, and there was nothing in the grey, dreary day, to add any beauty to the scene.

But soon we rolled into the Grand Central Station—a red cap was carrying our bags, and Mr. Briscoe was saying, "We'll have breakfast in the Palm Room." Breakfast didn't appeal to me, but the Palm Room did, for beauty and comfort reigned. The pink marble arches, the great palms and the delicious meal, even if one enjoyed by sight more than taste, were restful and refreshing, and a cup of coffee often helps one over hard spots.

"Now we'll take a taxi and you can see a little of the city, for your boat doesn't sail till eleven or thereabouts, and you needn't hurry," said Mr. Briscoe. So we drove about Central Park, and along Fifth Avenue, and viewed some of the great houses, and remembering the slums we had seen before, we wondered a little at the inequality of the distribution of this world's goods.

I got a kink in my neck, which threatened to become permanent, from staring at the Singer Building and Woolworth's. I think those were the worst—the highest, anyway, that I saw—but staring aloft must have done something to me, for when mother suddenly asked me how my throat felt, I had to acknowledge, with more amazement than she felt, that "it's all better!"

And then we were at the wharf, and there lay the "Bermudian." When I had seen pictures of her, she had loomed larger, and I had thought comfortably—"we'll feel nice and safe on her, she's large," and I hoped I was right, for mother had said when I came home with our tickets—"if that ship isn't good and large, I'll have to just come back home, for you know, perfectly well, that I can't bear to be near the water."

But I must say, when I looked at the ship, I hoped mother was too busy looking at other things to examine it very closely, for I felt, I personally, would not have objected if it had been triple its size.

However, it was too late now for fears and when we saw our stateroom, it was a delightful place, all white and crimson, and everything for our comfort assured.

After seeing the purser and getting our seats at table and the deck steward about chairs, we went on deck, and as we were early, had a good chance to study our fellow-passengers.

This was fun, for every variety of humanity seemed to be represented, but the ranks of the newlyweds must have been greatly augmented before this sailing, for there were tall brides and short ones; radiant ones and tearful ones; a bride with a Boston Bull tucked under one arm; a bride attached unalterably to a leash, from which a delightful red spaniel tried in vain to extricate himself.

There were a few unhappy people who were not satisfied with their staterooms; who objected to the place in which the only remaining deck chairs had to be, and who were sure we would have a bad voyage, as the wind was rising steadily, and I, for one, gladly sought the lounge to get away from the heaving mass of water, which we must presently face.

Mother settled herself in an easy chair and began to read, while I, remembering various rash promises, began to write.

From where I sat I faced those heaving mountains of dark grey water—and suddenly I looked wildly round, at all the safe, sane things about me—people reading, people writing and people just sitting comfortably doing nothing—then I glanced out again, yes the seas were like that—one minute I saw a ship, the next I didn't.

I felt premonitory gestures from my interior—and lay back.

forgetting friends, forgetting promises—forgetting everything but the fact that I was at the mercy of that sea.

When luncheon was served we went and took our places and I ordered chicken soup. Why, oh why, didn't I eat a dry biscuit or something! People around were enjoying their meal, but suddenly mother rose from her chair—"where are you going?" quoth I. "Away from here," said she and disappeared majestically in the general direction of our private sanctuary. Giving one more look at that soup, I retired in wild disorder, to discover mother lying with her face to the wall.

"Don't speak to me," said she. "I should have known better than to leave my comfortable home for this."

"Oh well," I consoled her, "there will probably be a submarine about, and that will end our troubles."

"What do I care," said my parent, and we subsided into unhappy silence.

At dinner time the stewardess came in and asked what we would like for dinner. Mother only moaned protestingly and I begged her never to mention food again.

As the night came on, the fog horn lifted up its voice, to be answered by other voices equally strident and menacing, while the water in great seas slapped on the deck above us, and the ship lay on its side and we clung to whatever we could lay hands on. Presently the stewardess came in again, and by that time mother was so ill that I told her to send the doctor.

"There are a couple of hundred calls ahead of you," said she, "even some of the stewardesses are sick, but I'll give the message."

All through the long night the wind howled, the fog horn shrieked, and the steady thump of water over us, made the night hideous.

Just as the doctor came along the passage toward our room, a frantic voice hailed him—"Doctor, oh Doctor, my wife says she is dying!"

"Quite a few people on this ship are wishing it would go down," said the doctor calmly. "But they'll feel differently when we get into port."

Then he came in and looked at mother, who said disgustedly, "What fools people are who go to sea."

"When did you eat last?" asked the doctor.

"Eat!" said mother—"not since I came on board this torture hole."

"Take this tablet," said he, while mother said firmly, "I couldn't swallow that thing, feeling as I do."

"Oh yes, you can," said the man of medicine, "I'll just wait till you do."

"I thought you had lots of patients," said my usually serene mother—"So I have, but down that tablet has to go." "Look at my daughter," said mother; he hardly glanced at me, and sensing a woman not worthy of his steel, he thrust a tablet at me and returned to the fray. "I'll be ten times worse," predicted mother—"No you won't," said the man of pills.

"Just then a summons from a steward, hurried him off, and mother, exhausted, subsided, while I, hating the whole human race, writhed and in whispers told mother what I thought of everyone and everything that had lured us to trust ourselves to the briny deep. No relief came, as through the following day and night we plunged and heaved our way.

On Sunday, I could hear well loved hymns being beautifully played, and I thought how wonderful it would be to be able to get up and listen, "I think I'll order something to eat," I said.

"Well, maybe," said mother doubtfully, as I rang and gave the order.

Presently a tray with some dainty tongue sandwiches and coffee, made its appearance.

Mother gave one look—"oh why . . ." she said and stopped, while I rang in haste and begged the stewardess, "take it away—oh, please hurry," and just then the ship lay flat down and I thought, this is the end, while the poor girl clung to the door with one hand and tried to clutch the tray with the other.

"There are only seven passengers able to go to the table," said she, perhaps thinking there was consolation in numbers, but tomorrow will see us safely in the harbor."

"Maybe," said I, without any hope, but towards morning, the wind went down, and when the pilot came on board, we felt we might live a little longer—next week, please.

## Ansnoerveld

Messrs. T. Winter, J. Vandergoot and A. Blomend attended a church meeting in Hamilton on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. B. Rupke of Hamilton were in Ansnoerveld on Sunday. Mr. J. Rupke and Miss Miss C. Rupke returned with them. Miss H. Prins has been spend-

ing a week in Newmarket with Mr. and Mrs. A. Baarselaar.

## HOLLAND LANDING W. A. PREPARE FOR NEW YEAR'S WORK

The annual business meeting of the Women's Association was held in the United church on Dec. 2. The president opened the meeting and reports on the year's work were given. The treasurer gave a very encouraging financial report. Receipts for the year were \$319.25, and balance on hand, \$75.56.

Mrs. Bate took the chair for the election of officers. The following officers were installed: honorary president, Mrs. Robt. McCann; pres., Mrs. J. Pegg (re-elected); vice-pres., Mrs. Wesley McCallum; sec., Mrs. Percy Thompson (re-elected); treas., Mrs. E. Tate (re-elected); organist, Mrs. Hare; sick committee, Mrs. Pearce and Mrs. Dutton (re-elected); social committee, Mrs. Bate, Mrs. Pegg and Mrs. McCallum. The meeting closed with members all ready for another successful year.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fawcett and Jimmie, also Miss Marion Fawcett of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Fawcett.

Master Jimmie Stephenson of Toronto is visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. McCallum.

Mrs. F. W. Kitching spent a few days last week in Toronto.

## Hope

The Sunday-school have reserved Dec. 22 for the Sunday-school concert here.

The hobby club, which met at

the home of Mrs. J. Breen was a decided success.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gordon, Miss Edith and Master Ivan of Ravenshoe, visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Micks on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mount and Beverley of Newmarket visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Pegg on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyd called on Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stickwood on Sunday.

Mr. Thos. Stickwood visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Stickwood of Queensville on Sunday.

Miss Doris Breen is at her home ill. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

Mrs. F. Gibson and Bernard, who have been visiting relatives at Streetsville, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. W. Pegg spent Saturday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Pegg and children, also Mr. Jack Pegg of Beeton, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Pegg on Sunday.

## Sharon

Sharon Christmas concert will be held in the hall on Wednesday, Dec. 22. A good program is being prepared and will start sharp at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ramsay and Mr. Homer Ramsay visited Mr. E. Ramsay in Toronto on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vernon and son visited Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fry on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pearson and Miss Gertrude Grose spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Grose.

Mrs. M. A. Ramsay is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fairbairn at Trafalgar.

Mrs. Will Dunham spent one day last week visiting friends and relatives in Sharon.



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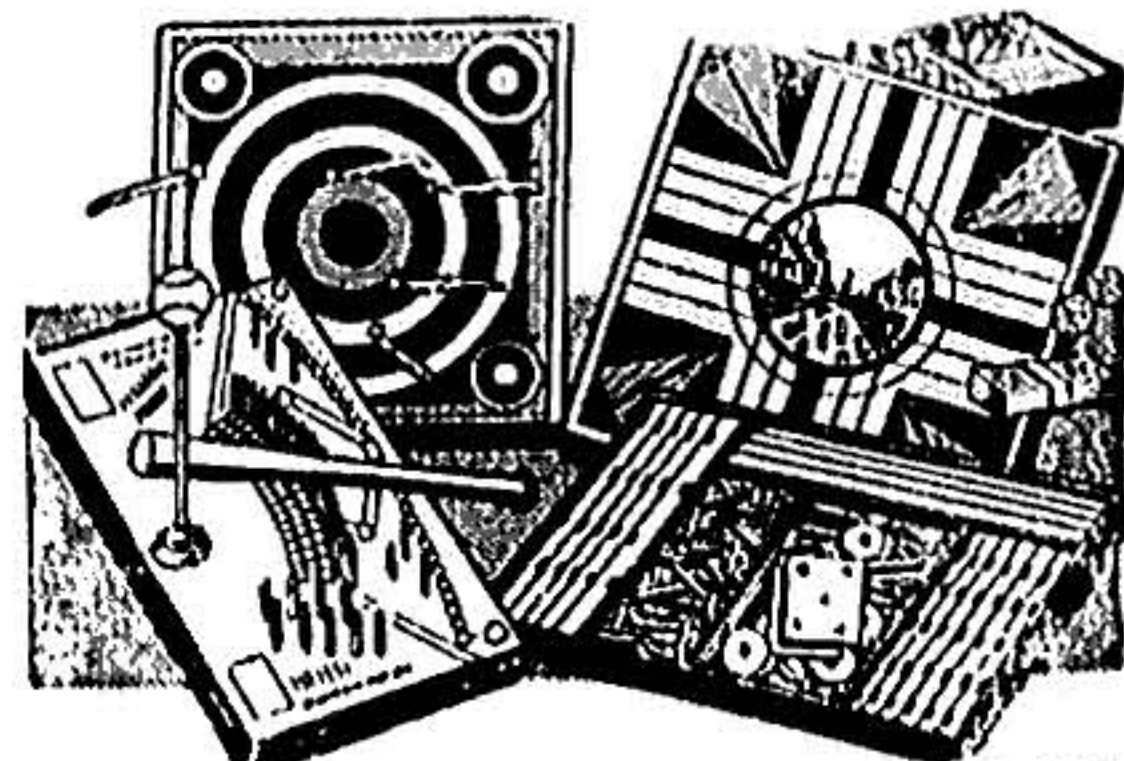
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air put in last, and it's bound to  
be bad by this time. I like fresh  
air in my tires."

NEWMARKET BOYS  
WIN SCHOLARSHIPS

Speaking before county council at their November session, W. M. Cockburn, Newmarket, agricultural representative for York, made reference to the achievements of the various boys' and girls' clubs organized under his supervision this year. Speaking of the girls' work, he pointed out that 24 girls in the home, garden and canning club had studied canning and vegetables as well as caring for a complete garden. Local project clubs were organized in different parts of the county in co-operation with the Women's Institutes.

The boys' grain club in the northern part of the county had 26 boys who sowed an acre or more of the choicest of registered oats and barley. The fields were scored and exhibits of grain were shown in October, while the boys also competed in a judging competition and examination.

The Woodbridge boys' calf club, sponsored by the Woodbridge Agricultural Society for boys west of Yonge St., had 19 members, most of whom brought their calves out to Woodbridge Fair. Judging and an examination also featured in this contest. At the Canadian National Exhibition, three calves from this club won first in the inter-county class for a group of three Jerseys, having won first, second and fourth individually and also first for showmanship. Four Holstein calves won second, third, sixth and seventh; and second for group of three calves.

The Markham boys' foal club, sponsored by the Markham Agricultural Society, had 17 members caring for Percheron and Clydesdales which they exhibited at Markham fair. Harvey Cox, of Unionville, exhibiting his foal at the Royal, won first prize after three strenuous hours in

the ring with 36 colts from all over the province in the special foal club class. Next day he won eighth on showmanship against the same competitors. Jack McGriskin, of Agincourt, showing in the same class, got seventh on his foal and 13th in showmanship.

During the Royal Winter Fair, the Downtown Kiwanis Club of Toronto entertained the members of the boys' clubs of York and Ontario counties and presented five scholarships of a ten-day short course at the O.A.C. in each county. Hon. P. M. Devan, Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, presented the cheques to the York boys as follows: grain club, Neil Faris, Newmarket, high in oat section; Chas. Haines, Newmarket, high in barley section; calf club, Cameron McNeil, Woodbridge, high in Jerseys; Alan Boake, Downsview, high in Holsteins; foal club, George Scott, Agincourt. These boys will attend the short courses at the O.A.C. from Dec. 28 to Jan. 7.

Mr. Cockburn hopes to be able to reorganize these clubs for another year, after which they will probably be rotated to give other boys an opportunity to take advantage of the benefits of this practical form of agricultural education. In this connection, it is interesting to note that the \$100 County-Massey Fund scholarship to the O.A.C. was awarded to Norman Bagg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bagg, of Edgeley. Norman was a member of the former Woodbridge calf club and later of the Woodbridge foal club, a member of the provincial contest in 1933 and second in the dominion contest the same year. Last year he won the trip to the Chicago International as high man in the county livestock judging competition.

ZEPHYR  
W. M. S. NAME NEW  
1938 EXECUTIVE

The Sunday-school scholars of Zephyr United church are busy practicing for their Christmas entertainment, which will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 22 in the community hall. A good program is being arranged.

On Friday, Mr. Innis, the agricultural representative of Ontario county, will be the special speaker at the Young People's Society. This meeting is open to all and we expect a large attendance to come and hear this interesting address.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the United church was held on Dec. 1 at the home of Mrs. G. Murray. There was a large attendance and the Christmas program was much enjoyed. Reports of the different branches of the work showed a very successful year. When all returns are in the allocation will have been exceeded.

Following are the names on the executive for the year 1938: honorary presidents, Mrs. H. Pickering, Mrs. G. Murray; past president, Mrs. A. Armstrong; president, Mrs. J. Lockie; vice-president, Mrs. W. J. Rynard; corr. sec, Mrs. J. Galbraith; recording sec, Mrs. Wm. Rynard; treasurer, Mrs. A. S. Arnold; Missionary Monthly sec., Mrs. Dewey Graham; temperance sec., Mrs. F. Thompson; pianist, Mrs. J. W. Rynard.

## Zephyr

Mrs. John Kennedy, mother of Mrs. Leslie Kennedy, was buried in Quaker Hill cemetery last Thursday. The family have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their mother.

Miss Munroe is having her Christmas tree at her school on the fourth concession on Tuesday, Dec. 21. A good play is being provided for entertainment.

I. B. Law has placed doors fitted with windows along the whole front of his reserve storage, north of his paint shop. A cement approach has been constructed the full length of the building to replace the two wooden bridges. This has greatly increased the appearance of the building and enlarged the storage capacity.

Rev. Mr. Murray is attending Presbyterian in Toronto this week.

Miss Luella Gayman and a friend, of Stouffville, visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Meyers, on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Harman of Uxbridge is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. R. Armstrong this week.

## Keswick

The annual meeting of the W.A. of the United church was held on Thursday afternoon, the officers of 1937 being returned for 1938. A very delicious supper was served from 6 o'clock on, those responsible for it being Mrs. Aneus Cowleson, Mrs. Charles Willoughby and Mrs. Carson Pollock, assisted by Mrs. Robt. Hamilton, Mrs. F. Morton and Mrs. Freeman Fairbairn.

Mrs. Frank Marritt was in charge of a very interesting program. The theme was "Good Music", the following contributing to the success of the evening: Rev. C. E. Fockler, Miss M. Fockler, Miss M. Willoughby and Mrs. E. Morton. Recitations were given by Lois Marritt and Betty Fisher.

Rev. Mr. Fockler occupied the pulpit of the United church on Sunday, assisted by Roy Pollock

and Miss Fockler, but in spite of a very bad cold, Mr. Fockler preached a very fine sermon. In the evening, Rev. Mr. Littlewood of Uxbridge was guest preacher, preaching a splendid sermon.

The regular Y.P.S. meeting will be held on Friday evening, when it is hoped a good attendance will be present.

There will be a baptism of children next Sunday morning. In the near future Rev. Mr. Fockler plans having a reception for new members. If anyone is interested Mr. Fockler will be pleased to discuss the same with them.

Sunday, Dec. 19, will be the Sunday-school anniversary, when Rev. Manson Doyle will be the special preacher at both services. These services will be very interesting and it is hoped many will take advantage of this opportunity to hear Mr. Doyle and also to show their interest in the work of the Sunday-school.

The concert in connection with the anniversary will be held on Monday evening, Dec. 20, when the pageant, "The Light of the World", will be presented. A white gift service will also be held on that night, when all present will be given an opportunity to participate by their gifts in Christmas cheer for the community.

Mr. Judson Cole has just returned from Flint, Mich., where he has been visiting his son, Elmer, who is a police lieutenant in that city, also his brother, Wesley, who is now in his 80's, and Arthur at Brantford, who for years was principal of the school for the blind there.

Mrs. D. C. Grant of Toronto, formerly of Yellow Grass, Sask., spent last week with her sister, Mrs. P. J. Cole. Mrs. Grant, while in the west, helped to unpack the car load of good things from here and take it to the needy.

Sorrow fell over the community on Wednesday when word came of the death of Rev. Mr. Griffin, one who was loved by all who knew him. Mr. Griffin was only a few months in the parish at Roche's Point, but the spirit for good he left behind will not soon be forgotten even by the youngest child.

Miss Daisy Cole has gone to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. H. Bailey of Flint, Mich.

The Misses Young have been spending holidays in the city.

6TH CON. N. G.  
WORKERS FINISH  
CHURCH ROOF JOB

There was quite a surprise this Monday morning to find on looking out that trees, shrubs, fences, and even the hydro wires were just hanging with snow, making the scenery very beautiful, and some say "Christmas". And that is not very far away.

Those volunteers who undertook shingling the church at Bethel were a bit held up the fore part of last week owing to so much high wind, but on Thursday it was a lovely bright day, with a good turnout of helpers, and it was completed, the old shingles gathered and piled, and a bee planned for Tuesday, supervised by Mr. Angus Cameron, to cut wood, for future consumption.

Those who had the privilege of hearing the stranger from India, (Mr. Rutnam), who accompanied Mr. Butler to the morning service at Bethel met a Christian gentleman some 6 feet in height. While here he had his first sight of snow. Mr. Rutnam is a student at Emmanuel College and is very highly spoken of. He enjoyed the hospitality of friends in the morning at Bethel and in the evening at Egypt. The two students were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Huntley.

Mrs. Jones Sodore, (Sunnydale) now in the eighties, is making plans to accompany her son and family to Florida for the winter. Friends of Mrs. Russell Glover extend sympathy to the family in this time of serious illness and also to the family bereft by the death of the late Ralph Draper.

## BASELINE N. G.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Powell and family are wished every joy and happiness in their new home in Muskoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Graham spent the weekend at the home of Mr. A. Stonehouse.

Miss Bernice Winch was in Toronto on Saturday.

Miss Evelyn Arksey, R.N., of York County Hospital, spent a few hours on Saturday at the home of her parents.

Baseline school will hold their annual Christmas concert and tree on Tuesday evening, Dec. 21.

Mr. B. Johnston spent a few days last week in Toronto.

Mrs. Waller Allen is home again after visiting friends in Toronto.

BELHAVEN  
ARE TO SUGGEST  
SIMPLE PRESENTS

Next Tuesday the Women's Institute hold their regular meeting, to which the public is invited. There will be Christmas articles brought to the value of 25 cents to be sold, and may be purchased by those present. Proceeds go to the Institute. Roll call, ideas for inexpensive gifts; Christmas carols; speaker, Mrs. M. Sedor; singing, Phyllis Sedor; reading, Dorothy Held; home economics, Mrs. A. Edney; report of convention; hostesses,

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NEWMARKET

Mrs. Harry Horner, Mrs. Harvey King, Mrs. Lorne Holborne.

The Christmas December meeting is always a very interesting one for all who care to come.

The home nursing course continues on Monday and Thursday evening with increased attendance and interest. Dr. Beattie of Sutton West is the speaker for Thursday evening this week.

The Tuesday afternoon meeting last week was taken by Mrs. Irving Robertson, who spoke on child welfare. Ladies from Keswick and Sutton and the surrounding community attended this meeting.

Snow is here on the ground and the trees are laden. It looks and feels like winter this week.

There was a good attendance at Belhaven Sunday-school last Sunday, even though the day was stormy. There were several visitors.

The guest speaker will be Mrs. Bentic, wife of Dr. Beattie of Sutton. The president will give a report of the convention held in Toronto and also a demonstration on clothes closets. The girls will also give special music.

The Junior Institute is invited to the Elmhurst W.I. on Dec. 28. Will all the girls please come prepared to join Dec. 14 and also to give their 20 cents as they agreed to help "The Crippled Children's Society."

The meeting starts at 8.15 p.m.

sharp and any coming in after 8.30 p.m. will be requested to pay admission.

As lunch is being served will all the girls please help out by bringing sandwiches or cake?

Era printing is delivered promptly.

One of the masters of a boarding school observed a boy cleaning his knife on the tablecloth, and immediately pounced on him.

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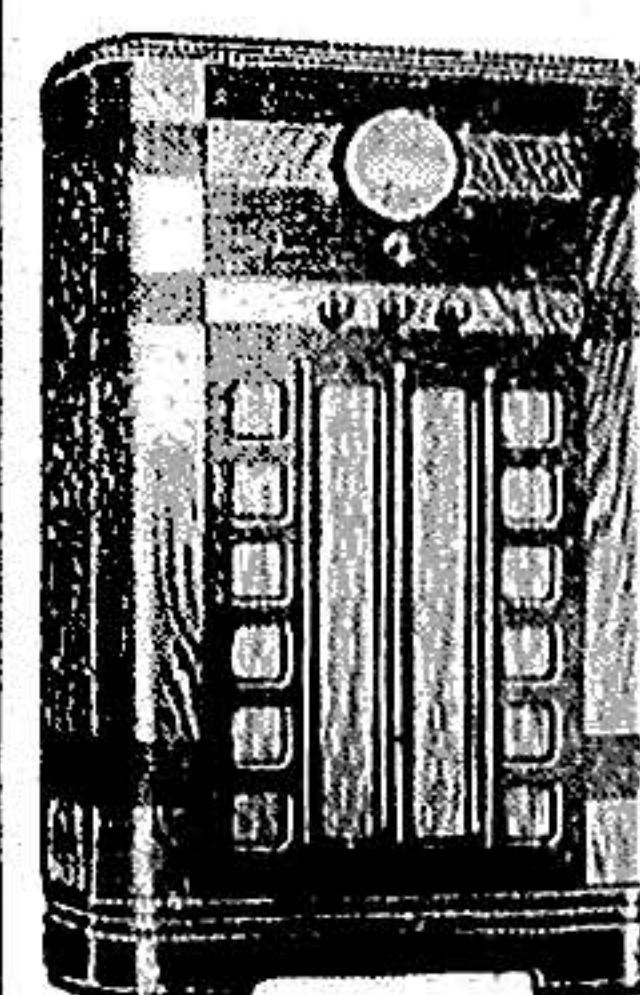
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"ANOTHER DAWN"

creamery attended the banquet for the butter-makers' club held at Woodbridge on Nov. 25. The club has been holding monthly meetings for the purpose of grading cream and butter and prizes are given for the winners. Milton Gibney of Mount Albert creamery was presented with a silver cake plate for scoring the highest points through the year for butter, second prize for cream grading for the year and a special prize for highest score in any one meeting. Mr. Gibney is to be congratulated on his success as a buttermaker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Crowle motored to Orillia one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. Crowle of Zephyr, to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther of Toronto spent last week at the home of Mrs. Luther's niece, Mrs. G. Barnes.

Mrs. Blyth accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. I. Allison, returned home from Washington, D.C., on Wednesday of last week.

The W. M. S. of the United church held a birthday party and supper on Wednesday evening last in the Sunday-school room.

A good crowd enjoyed their splendid hot supper and program after wards. The proceeds amounted to \$40.

Everyone is asked to remember the bazaar in the United church on Saturday of this week under the W.A. The public are asked to be on time for the sale at four o'clock and supper is at five-thirty.

Mrs. H. Ross and Miss E. Hayes attended the golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. B.

Smith at the home of their son, Rev. Oswald Smith, in Toronto on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Smith was one of the first C.N.R. station agents in Mount Albert.

Christmas market will be held in Mount Albert on Tuesday, Dec. 21.

Rev. R. V. Wilson has secured lantern slides for the service next Sunday evening at the United church.

## Sutton West

The opening meeting of the United church Young People's Union on Tuesday evening drew a large crowd to the church hall where the president, Charles Buckley, opened the initial meeting.

Despite adverse weather conditions the turn-out was excellent and a good season in this line is anticipated. Convenor Jack Burnham took charge of the meeting, following the official opening, providing a highly entertaining and enjoyable program, which included readings by Rev. N. S. Anderson and himself.

Mrs. L. Pike played several selections on the piano after which Les. Pickles gave an interesting address. Charles Buckley rendered two trombone selections, accompanied at the piano by Barbara Holborn.

Plans for a new and unique contest were presented and discussed and also the presenting of a short play to assist with the Sunday-school Christmas concert. Pearl Ward, who has always taken an active part in Young People's work has consented to assist Mrs. M. King, who is one of the four group convenors.

The service in the United church on Sunday evening was in charge of the Women's Missionary Society, Mrs. C. T. Noble, Mrs. Allan Railton, and Mrs. Emerson Sheppard leading in the service.

Miss Pearl Culverwell and Mr. Tom Crozier spent the weekend at the former's home.

Miss Muriel Cockburn spent the weekend in Toronto.

Miss Pat Robertson left on Sunday to spend her holidays in Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Misses Ruth Silver and Pearl Ward, and Messrs. Bill Burkholder and Garnet Littlejohn attended the alumni dance in Newmarket on Friday night.

Miss Isobel Osborne returned to her home here last week after visiting her sister, Mrs. D. M. Christie in Wellington.

## Keswick

Mr. and Mrs. Warriner of Markham were the guests on

Sunday of the latter's sister, Mrs. Charlie Willoughby.

The many friends of Mrs. Jim Cole will be glad to know she is doing as well as can be expected in York County hospital where she was rushed for an operation on Sunday.

Deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. Ralph Draper and the members of her family in the loss of husband and father. It is hoped that Mrs. Draper will soon be restored to her usual good health.

Miss J. Sanderson of Newmarket was the guest on Sunday of Mrs. Ross Folkeard.

Mrs. Roy Pollock opened her home one day last week for the home decorator to demonstrate. The ladies brought lunch and served a buffet lunch which enabled the hostess to enjoy the work. On Friday Mrs. Connell Marritt's home will be opened for the ladies of Belhaven. Anyone will be made very welcome from 10 o'clock until 4 o'clock.

Mr. Jack Smith is home from York County hospital and is doing very well.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. S. Pollock and Mrs. Donald Davidson, whose mother is very ill in York County hospital.

## Belhaven

Society is co-operating with the Red Cross in community extension service, sponsored by the Women's Institute of Belhaven. Mrs. Irving Robertson addressed an enthusiastic audience in the community hall on this most important of all arts.

Miss Ella Morton, R.N., of Keswick, demonstrated an adult bath and later the bath and care of the infant. Keen interest is displayed, the class having increased to a membership of 60.

Dr. O. M. Beattie, M.O.H., will lecture on communicable diseases in the community hall at 7:30 p.m. on Monday. More information is necessary on this subject and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

## CEDAR VALLEY

Newlyweds Are

Given Charivari

A charivari party and shower were held for Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brandon at the home of Mrs. Charles Brandon, Jr. Many fine gifts were received by the bride and groom and a pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.

Mr. John Skinner spent the weekend at Midland with his mother, Mrs. A. A. Skinner.

Mrs. G. A. Tieborne moved on Friday to Toronto to live with her son, Mr. Ernest Swan.

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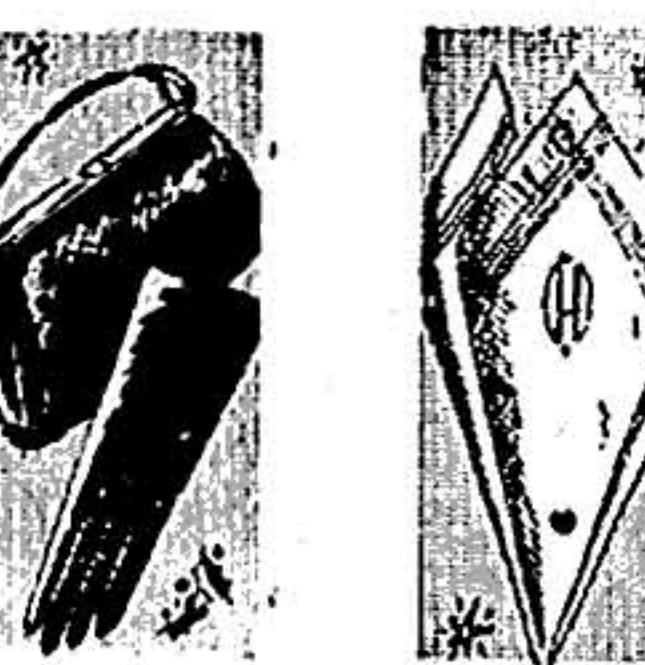
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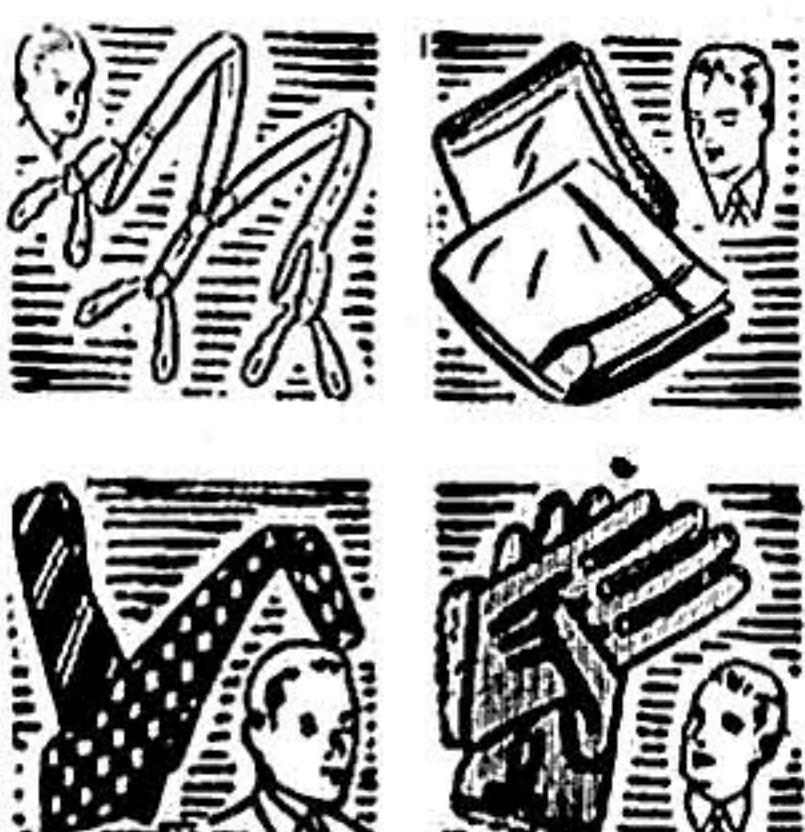
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## Elm Grove

Sleigh bells are ringing again. Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Mann of Detroit were calling on friends in Elm Grove on Saturday.

Miss Louise Richardson returned home on Friday after spending a month with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lang, also Miss Bessie Lang and Mr. Wm. Jones, spent the weekend in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Putnam of Toronto were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. Chas. Graham.

Mr. Geo. Tanquary has had to go to hospital in Toronto. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

Mrs. T. Taylor, Sr., left on Sunday to visit friends in Detroit and Chicago.

Mrs. Murray Munro returned home on Friday after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Sonley, in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Munro, also Mr. Bruce Munro, spent Saturday in Bracebridge.

Miss Anne Snodden spent Saturday in Orillia.

Mrs. Wray, mother of Mrs. Allan Smallwood, in Tottenham, is quite ill. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

Christmas is drawing nigh—Joel Chapelle is again busy hauling Christmas trees to Toronto.

Keswick, who left on Sunday to spend the winter with her son in Detroit.

Mr. Joel Chapelle, Jr., was visiting in Baldwin on Sunday.

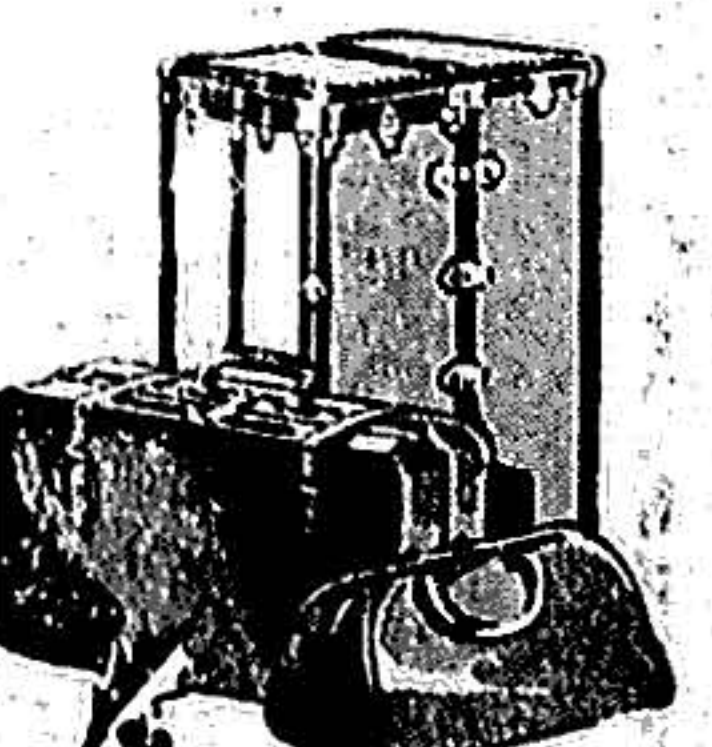
Elm Grove Christmas entertainment and box social will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 21, at 8 p.m. A program will be given by the pupils and also a play "Rooting for Ruth" will be presented by the young people. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the evening.



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